

The Bethel Citizen

Volume XCIV - Number 52

©1993 The Bethel Citizen

Bethel, Maine • WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1993

USPS 416-380
Second Class Postage Paid at
Lewiston, Maine 04240

40¢ a Copy

Conservation school gets \$10k donation from L.L. Bean

By MICHAEL DANIELS

L.L. Bean Co. has contributed \$10,000 to the Maine Conservation School to support program and facility development.

The contribution is a major boost to the Bryant Pond school, which has been struggling financially since it lost roughly \$40,000 in state funding earlier this year.

The state funds, which paid for an executive director's position, made up roughly one-third of the school's annual budget, according to board chairman Steve Wight.

L.L. Bean spokesman Jane Wiper said, "L.L. Bean is impressed with the school's continuing success in educating Maine's young people for a life-long conservation ethic and wanted to help insure its future. The company also respects the school for its innovative partnership with conservation commissions, fish & game clubs, and the forest products industry."

The Bean funding will be used to expand the school's programs in environmental and conservation education for children of all ages. The funding will also support two recent initiatives—a capital campaign to improve facilities, and a membership drive to build a base of conservation education supporters.

"The loss of supplemental state funding last spring, and the repercussions that followed, placed an unexpected financial burden on our school," said Chaitanya York, school president.



A CHRISTMAS TRADITION RETURNS—After missing last year because of a fire which destroyed their studio, the young dancers of the Children's Dance Theater of Bethel once again made their annual Christmas visit to Ledgeview Nursing Home last week. The dancers have been bringing Christmas spirit to the home for more than 30 years. This year's cast included: Tia Sprague, Kayla Giberson, Nicole Gaidis, Bliss Benson, Brittany Hinkle, Samantha Barton, Jonathan Parsons, Bailey Davis, Torie Smith, Jennifer Cross, Kirsten Arsonault, Danna Rae Wilson, Hannah Chapman, Lionel Thurston, Stephanie Bennett, Charles Parsons, Mia Stucchi, Kayla Cole, Amy Gaidis, Mallory Blake, Priscilla Thurston, Sarah Page, Mary Lawrence, Cassandra Perez, Britony Howe, Amanda Johnson,

Santana Cordova, Katie Caddigan, Michelle Deegan, Jaqui Wheeler, Ginnie Faulkingham, Rebecca Swan, Kandice Barryment, Lacy Newell, Amanda Gilbert, Courtney Blake, Kimberly Tibbetts, Lastasia Hebert, Gina Hebert, Abbie Beane, Jennie Sue Howe, Donna Lawrence, Bobby Lyn McKenna, Darcie Buker, Jaime Caron, Stephanie Vaughan, Lydia Mills, Anna Sysko, Emily Parsons, Maria Cornwell, Chelsey Bartlett, Carrie Rolfe, Amanda Jordan, Amy Howe, Sarah Fitzherbert, Seneca Brooks, Amber Brooks, Liza Fyrberg, Angie Mills, Carole Morse, Mandy Sysko, Jenn Bowle, Cheri Myers, Heather Harrison, Lisa Ojeda, Danny Ojeda, Wade Faulkingham, Tiffany Jordan, Shizuko Hashimoto, Heather Jordan and Meika Hashimoto.
(Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

Homeowner sniffs, snuffs wee hours fire

By DUANE HAYES

A Woodstock homeowner awoke early Sunday morning to the smell of smoke and grabbed a fire extinguisher to smother flames around a chimney and avert a possible structure fire, Fire Department officials said.

Dale Buck, his wife Jannine, daughter Shye and the family's four dogs were unharmed in the 3 a.m. fire at their home on Gore Road, said Fire Chief William Seames.

"If Dale hadn't woken up and smelled smoke it could have been bad," he said.

Seames said Buck had a fire extinguisher and was able to knock the fire down considerably before the first fire trucks arrived.

Greenwood Fire Department was first at the scene because its station is near the Buck house.

"We alerted Woodstock and called for Bethel to stand by, as well as Tri-Town Rescue, because we didn't know just how bad the fire was going to be when the call came in," said Fire Chief Raymond Seames.

A small section of the wall near the chimney had to be torn away in order for firemen to reach the origin, he said.

Most of the damage was from smoke. No water was needed because extinguishers doused the fire.

Jannine Buck said, "We were very lucky. Thanks to the fast action of the fire departments from Greenwood, Woodstock and Bethel everything turned out OK."

Top ten local news stories of 1993

Rolling into the future

The biggest news story of 1993 was the revival of a story that appeared all but played out 30 years ago—the romance of travel by rail.

On the day after Christmas hundreds of skiers pulled into Bethel on the Sunday River/Silver Bullet Ski Express. The run marked the first time since the 1960s that visitors to Bethel had ridden the rails to get here.

The new ski train service, one of only two in the nation, was set up by Sunday River Transportation Company, a subsidiary of Sunday River Ski Resort.

The train consists of nine cars purchased from the Indiana Railroad. Engines and crews are provided by the St. Lawrence & Atlantic Railroad, which owns the former Grand Trunk Railroad track over which the train runs.

Sunday River plans more than 60 round-trips between Portland and Bethel this ski season (the train is running every day this week, arriving at the Cross Street landing at approximately 9 a.m.).

And train sponsors clearly hope this is just the beginning. Sunday River President Les Otten said that by next year he hopes to connect to Amtrak service from Boston, and within a few years to be running ski trains to Montreal.

The ski train—and the speed with which Sunday River turned a long-discussed idea into a rolling reality—was greeted with enthusiasm both locally and across the state.

A station to call home

A second major news item this year is closely tied to the return of passenger rail service. In July developers unveiled plans for by far the largest commercial project in the history of Bethel.

The \$25-million development would be sited on a 60-acre parcel between the St. Lawrence & Atlantic Railroad tracks and the Androscoggin River.

The tract, which straddles Cross Street, is the site of three recently-closed wood mills, and is the current site of the Bethel town garage, ambulance barn, sand and road salt piles.

The first phase of the project is slated to include a railroad station, a 130-room hotel with conference facilities, 40,000 square feet of retail space and parking for shops and services.

The development consortium is headed by three men: M. Heinie Merrill, Grant Wilson and Leslie B. Otten. Merrill and Wilson were principals in the development of the Sunday River Brewery; Otten is president of Sunday River Ski Resort.

The first phase of the project is tentatively scheduled to begin in the

Spring of 1994.

The project must, of course, first clear the usual regulatory hurdles, but developers must also convince Bethel voters to sell a 6.2 acre of town-owned land that sits virtually in the middle of the project area.

Without that parcel, developers say, the project is a no-go.

That sale of the parcel is complicated by the fact that it is the site for the facilities mentioned above—all of which would have to be replaced or relocated.

The town selectmen, who have been negotiating with the developers in secret sessions since July, have taken the position that moving or rebuilding the facilities must be done at no cost to the town.

As New Year's approached, the selectmen and developers appeared close to agreement on the terms of a sales option to present to town voters.

Public reaction to the proposal has been mixed. Enthusiasm for the return of the trains was widespread, and many people argued that the project would locate development in an appropriate part of town.

Others, however, feared the large project would change forever the nature of Bethel, and would threaten established merchants in the village.

In September the selectmen asked for a committee of volunteers to study the impact of such a project on the town. In November the committee issued a strongly favorable report on the impact of the project.

A public referendum—most likely in February—will provide Bethel voters with the opportunity to render a verdict on the project.

Fraud, theft and forgery

Many people in town, even those who support the Cross Street Project, are still uneasy about just what changes development will bring to the fabric of community in Bethel. They worry, for example, if small town trust and interdependence will be driven out by sleaze and opportunism.

They had plenty of food for thought in 1993.

In August developer John P. Flynn Jr. was arrested by U.S. Marshalls. Flynn was on probation at the time for a 1983 conviction in the largest white-collar crime in New Hampshire history.

If the allegations are upheld, Flynn faces the prospect of being returned to prison for up to five years, perhaps longer.

The new charges against Flynn were based on a range of accusations of fraud, forgery, and theft by deception—most stemming from Bethel area business deals gone bad.

Flynn was also charged with threatening to shoot Sandy MacGregor, one of his partners in the

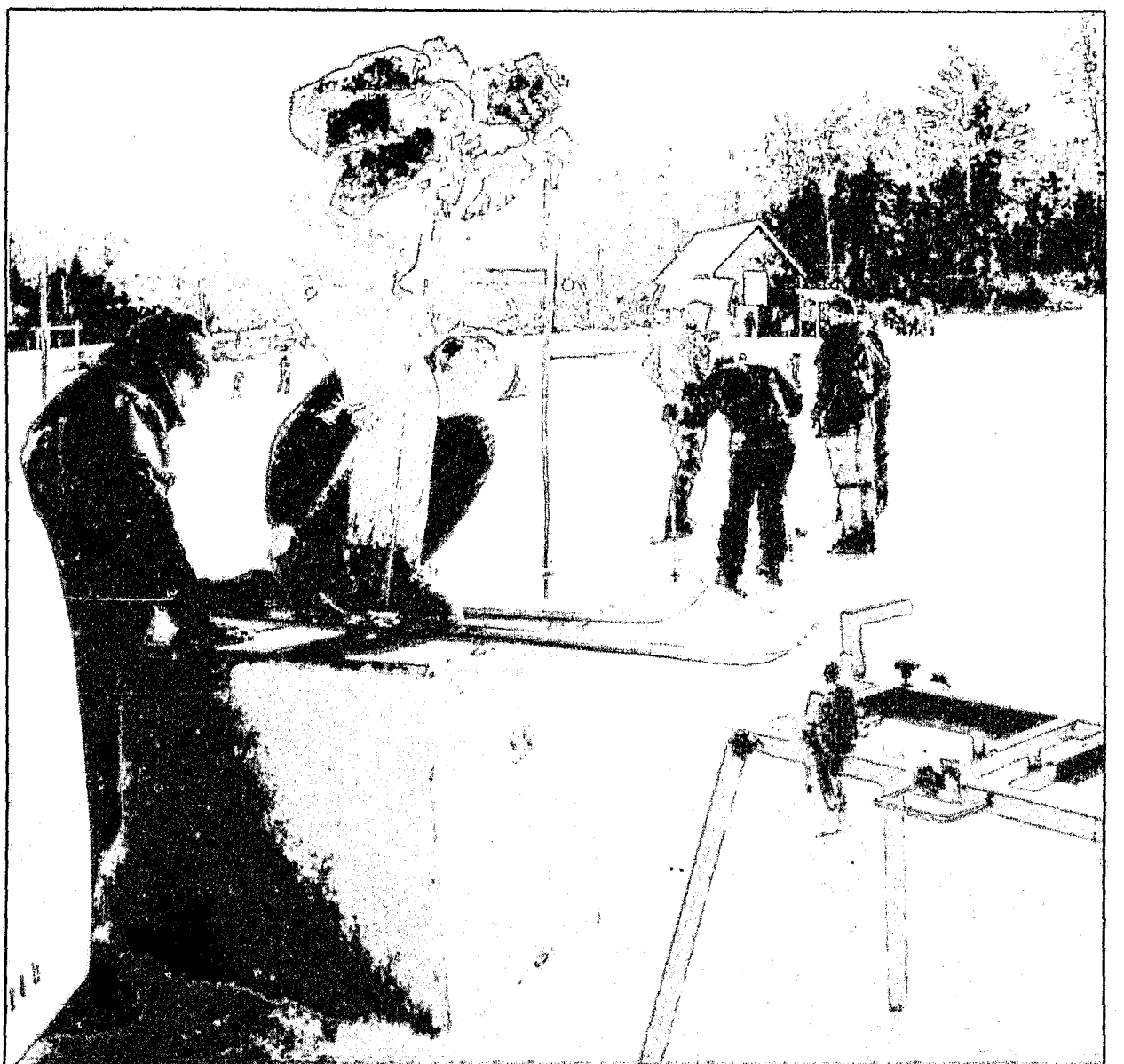
Mayville Tavern.

Since at least August of 1988, when he was released on probation from a federal half-way house, Flynn had been involved in a number of business deals in the Bethel area—most of them in the Bridge Street/Mayville area.

In addition to managing the now-closed Mayville Tavern, Flynn had acted as an agent for the Bottle & Bag shop, and he represented RheaLu's China Gem in discussions with town officials and in a dispute with an abutter.

The arrest warrant also charges that Flynn used the Rostay Inn to

See TOP TEN, page 2



DO THESE THINGS COME WITH HEATERS?—Those new telemark skis are great, but one run was enough for all but the most hardy on Monday, as temperatures stayed below zero and a chill wind blew no good. Here, Rick Boucher of Mahoosuc Mountain Sports in Bethel (right) and Dan Sullivan of Alpine Alternatives of Vermont set Peter Henning of Falmouth up with new telemark skis, during demo-day at Mt. Abram. Both Mt. Abram and Sunday River are offering a variety of special events during vacation week. For details, call Mt. Abram at 875-5003 or Sunday River at 824-3000.
(Photo by Michael Daniels)

RIPLEY & FLETCHER
HEATING OIL
Railroad Street • Bethel



65.9
PER GALLON
CASH PRICE
12/27/93

LOW CASH PRICE
10 DAYS TO PAY
WITH APPROVED CREDIT
• 24 HOUR BURNER SERVICE
• PRICE SUBJECT TO CHANGE
WITHOUT NOTICE
• MINIMUM DELIVERY 100 GAL.

Call: **824-2142**
KEROSENE
CASH PRICE
88¢

LOOK FOR OUR RED SHIELD HEATING OIL
AND ENJOY A WARMER WINTER.

Hot news tip?

Call 824-2444

Please Notice

The Bethel Citizen office will be closed
FRIDAY, DECEMBER 31st
in observance of the New Year Holiday
Happy Holidays!

Letters

LET'S NOT BE RAILROADED

To the Editor:

I am writing this letter after reading Mr. Grover's letter (Citizen, Dec. 22). It has been 14 years since our family has moved to Bethel, Maine. The reason why we moved to Bethel was for the quiet, peaceful, backwoods life. We are gradually losing this mostly to ski people that will undoubtedly bring the hustle and bustle of big city life.

It used to be one other family and my family on Bird Hill, now it is called Bird Hill Estates. I guess this is progress.

The only people who will benefit are the ones who are directly involved in the shopping mecca, train station, Sunday River Ski Resort, and of course the others who will ride their coattails.

Mr. Grover spoke how beautiful Aspen was, but how prices have soared due to commercialization. I myself have never been told how beautiful Sunday River Ski Resort is. I have seen it firsthand, especially around the workshop area, with oil and diesel mixed with snow on the ground. I have just a little bit of knowledge concerning business, and quite a bit more when it comes to landscape.

The weekend of the big train ride our local snowmobile club was selling Christmas trees on Cross Street. During this sale we spent a great deal of time admiring the train. I went to look at the platform for the passengers that get on and off the train, and I realized that this must be temporary when I looked at the job of pruning. I shuddered when I looked at the pine trees and noticed that the pruning looked like someone took a wrecking ball or a backhoe to the sides of the trees. As you can see, speed and cost were of the utmost priority. Hence, you may be getting the drift of my concern. This is only the beginning... everything that Mr. Grover spoke about and more is yet to come.

While on the subject: Why can't we build our own garage and salt shed? The Town of Woodstock has done it. I don't believe any big business has helped them. We all have to realize the future consequences that this metropolitan outburst will bring.

You don't have to take a trip to Aspen to see what is on the way. Take a ride over to Rutland, Vt., some Saturday or Sunday. You will see firsthand what is in store for your little town of Bethel.

And I think it's time that we stop complaining about the skiers coming out of the IGA parking lot the wrong way and start worrying about the real things at hand.

G. O. Hayes
Bethel

BLESS BETHEL PEOPLE

To the Editor:

I was involved in a tragedy last Monday on Route 2. In these current times, when people do not like to get involved, or you become just another number, things are different in Bethel. I cannot express the feelings I have for all the citizens of Bethel who were involved in the rescue effort, the words of encouragement, the calls, cards, visitations, and all the personnel at Rumford Community and Stephens Memorial Hospitals. God bless the people of Bethel.

My heart and prayers are with the Kellie Haines family.

Gerry H. Parker
West Bethel

LOST AND FOUND THANKS

To the Editor:

I wish to express my great appreciation and gratitude to the Outward Bound Project.

On the weekend of Oct. 9, I and two friends had the misfortune to become lost in the mountains. What started as a simple afternoon stroll on a short trail by the Goose Eye River turned into a hike to survive when we accidentally followed the wrong stream. Although we had a map and a compass, we were totally unprepared to spend the night in the forest.

Fortunately, we reached the Appalachian Trail and to a shelter just before nightfall. Then the weather turned to freezing rain followed by snow, but despite this two volunteers from Outward Bound set out to look for us. I know that even though they were very experienced, they did not have to risk injury in the middle of the night to go in search of foolish hikers, and I will be forever grateful.

The next day a major search party was underway, involving the game warden, Outward Bound Project, and Sunday River Skiway Corporation volunteers and equipment. The organization and preparedness were, I understand, impressive and my wife was reassured that we would be found.

Luckily we were helped to survive overnight by hikers in the shelter, and in the morning walked out to meet the game warden who was wisely looking for us on the shortest trail out.

I hope I have learned my lesson, but I know I will always be thankful to everyone who came together in our true time of need.

Neill S. Barber, M.D.
Marshfield Hills, Mass.

From the Bethel Police log:

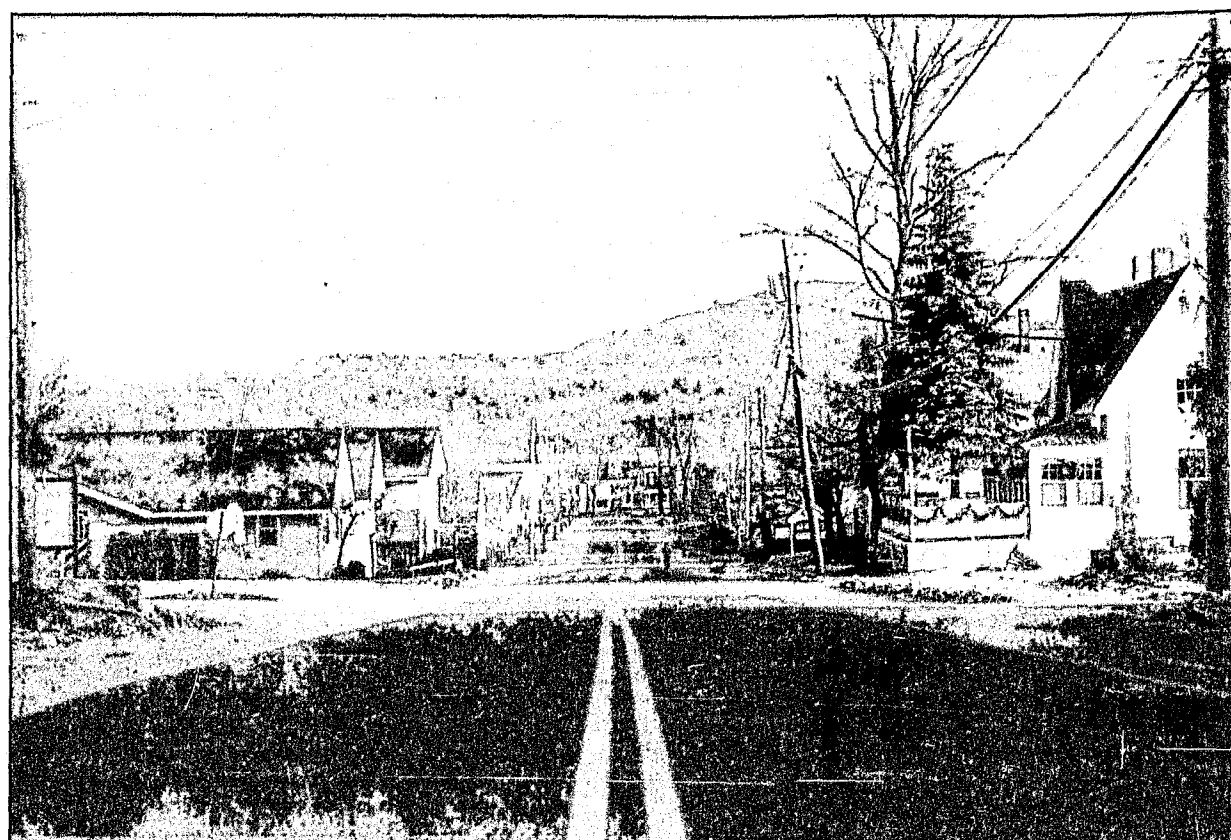
Three heroes jack deer, then leave the meat

Shortly after midnight last Monday, Bethel police and the Maine Warden Service responded to a report of a shot fired on the North West Bethel Road. A deer was found dead, but not dressed out, in the woods off the road. Three men in a small car were seen in the area, according to the police report.

In other police news last week, at 12:21 a.m. Saturday, police approached the vehicle of two men "acting suspiciously" in the Sports Outlet parking lot on the Sunday River Road. The two men said they were snowmobilers at Sunday River Ski Resort and had stopped to change a flat tire. Sunday River Security verified their employment at the resort.

Saturday, police controlled traffic at the scene of a vehicle fire at Brown's Mobil on Route 2. The Bethel Fire Department extinguished the blaze.

Dec. 20, police arranged a ride home for four men staying in Locke Mills. The apparently intoxicated men were walking toward Locke Mills, the report said, and appeared in danger of being hit by passing vehicles.



DESERTED VILLAGE--A sole pedestrian had Main Street in Bethel all to himself Christmas morning, but the town was soon bustling with vacation week traffic and business. (Photo by Michael Daniels)

Top ten

Continued from page 1

commit wire fraud.

Most of the business people who were involved with Flynn here have said they were initially unaware of his New Hampshire conviction.

According to the arrest warrant, Flynn was responsible for more than \$160,000 in losses for the partners who formed the Mayville Tavern. Most of the partners were his fellow ski patrollers at Sunday River.

In addition, the restaurant owed \$14,000 in withholding taxes and another \$14,000 in sales taxes, according to the warrant.

Flynn's financial maneuvers resulted in the failure of the restaurant, according to Dr. Gary Galovic, an oral surgeon from Portsmouth, NH and one of the partners.

Sandy MacGregor and Galovic were the most active partners in the tavern. MacGregor told The Citizen that the shooting threat came when he attempted to gather evidence to have Flynn removed from the business and the attached residence.

"He took me seriously, and I took his threat seriously," MacGregor said.

Flynn's activities also damaged other businesses in the area, but all but the Mayville Tavern appear to have ridden out the difficulties.

At year's end, Flynn, 47, was still imprisoned in N.H. pending a hearing (now set for early January) on the probation violation charges.

Crime of a more domestic variety also made the news in 1993.

In July, David Chapman, 39, of Gilead was sentenced to 45 years in prison for the October 1992 shotgun slaying of his sister's fiancé, Richard Hutchins, 28, also of Gilead.

The slaying apparently followed Hutchins' defeat of Chapman in an arm-wrestling match.

Economy is trying

Maine continued in 1993 to lag behind the sputtering national economic recovery, but by-in-large the year brought positive developments on the local economic scene.

The local unemployment rate, which had leveled off in 1992, held steady in 1993, even as more people (encouraged by the talk of

recovery) reentered the job market.

The SAD44 area towns fall into two labor markets, as defined by the Maine Department of Labor. From October 1992 to October 1993 (the last month for which figures are available) unemployment in the Rumford labor market increased from 7.5 percent to 9.1 percent, but unemployment in the Norway/South Paris labor market fell from 9.8 percent to 7.6.

But while the figures for the two labor markets indicate little improvement in unemployment for this part of western Maine, there were numerous signs of growing business activity and job opportunities in the immediate Bethel area.

In the spring Sunday River Ski Resort completed yet another record season, and early signs for the current season indicated that more records will fall—even if the snow doesn't.

Sunday River also undertook a \$8.5 million expansion this past summer, including a \$4 million addition to the Summit Hotel.

The expansion generated roughly 200 seasonal construction jobs.

Year-round employment at the mountain is now more than 200, and during peak ski periods (like this week) as many as 1,200 people are drawing Sunday River paychecks.

The summer tourism season was also successful, with most local retail, restaurant and lodging owners reporting brisk business.

There were also signs that more people, including Canadians, are beginning to consider the Bethel area as a summer as well as winter destination area.

And a number of new businesses opened their doors in 1993—testimony to entrepreneurs' faith in the economic recovery and in the continued ability of Sunday River to draw people to the area.

But even as tourism and recreation play an increasing role in the local economic mix, many people continue to look to the traditional wood-products industry for job opportunities.

That industry turned in a solid performance in 1993, continuing the slow turnaround begun in 1991.

P.H. Chadbourne & Company in Bethel did "better than we've done in the past few years," according to owner Bob Chadbourne.

Ironically, the company's improvement stems in large part from cutbacks in the amount of timber

available from the Pacific Northwest—where environmentalists have successfully challenged logging in the habitat of the spotted owl and in other areas of that region's old growth forests.

In the past, the traditional markets for Chadbourne's primary product, white pine lumber, had been New England, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania; but this year the mill's lumber went to every state east of the Mississippi and several in the West, according to Bob Chadbourne.

The mill also undertook substantial renovations to its sawmill in 1993 and has a new dry kiln under construction.

At year end 78 people were employed at P.H. Chadbourne & Co., up from 62 a year ago.

Newton & Tebbets in West Bethel also employs roughly 80 people, and owner Roy Newton reports that 1993 saw sales that were "substantially better than in recent years."

Newton & Tebbets' furniture and toy components go largely to markets outside of New England, markets where the economic recovery has been stronger.

Across Route 2 in West Bethel, the year was also a good one for Bethel Furniture Stock, which for the fourth year in a row was listed by "Wood and Wood Products" magazine as one of 100 fastest growing wood products companies in the United States and Canada.

Bethel Furniture manufactures glued hardwood panels and bendings and employs 80 people. It is one of only 12 wood products companies that made the trade magazine's top 100 list all four years that it has been compiled.

The past year was also a good one at Andover Wood Products, another local furniture stock producer.

"We're hearing from customers we haven't heard from in three or four years," said president and General Manager Don Stecher. "There seems to be more courage out there."

Employment at the Andover mill is up more than 10 percent from this time last year, to 110 people.

Things were also upbeat at Gilbert Manufacturing in Locke Mills. "We definitely had a better year," said owner Duane Gilbert.

But things could have been even better. "We were headed for a banner year," Gilbert said, but in the last months of the year business

See TOP TEN, page 3

THIS WEEK AT THE Moses Mason House

The 13th annual "So You Think You Know Bethel" contest will be the feature of the next monthly meeting of the Bethel Historical Society to be held on Thursday, Jan. 6, in the meeting room of the Dr. Moses Mason House, beginning at 7:30 p.m. This always popular trivia contest requires answers to a wide variety of historical and geographic questions relating to Bethel and its past. Anyone interested in attending the meeting is cordially invited to do so.

Contributions to the 1993 Annual Fund of the Bethel Historical Society passed the \$8,000 level. Among recent contributors are: Clark and Neda Bartlett, Bethel; Hope Tibbets, Bethel; Richard and Regina Thek, Seaford, Del.; Isabel Tuell Coburn, New Harbor; Roxanne Twitchell Sly, Brooklin; Sunday River Inn, Newry. There is still time before the end of the year to make a tax-deductible contribution to the society, an organization dedicated to preserving and interpreting the local past for present and future generations. All contributions should be directed to the Society at P.O. Box 12, Bethel, ME 04217-0012. They may be given in memory of an individual or in honor of someone special.

All those who wish to take advantage of 1993 membership rates should have their check to the society by Dec. 31, 1993. The new rates will take effect after that date.

Anyone interested in participating in a reading/discussion series should set Jan. 12 on his or her calendar for the five-part series "Different People, Different Places: Native Americans, Europeans, and the Environments They Created," at the Bethel Library. Anyone wishing further information should call Betsy Raymond at the Bethel Library (824-2420) or Stan Howe at the Bethel Historical Society (824-2908).

LOOKING BACK

10 years ago: The Bethel Board of Selectmen expressed appreciation to the following members of BEARS who recently resigned: Director Florence Merrill, Mary and Amol Brown, Esther Sweetser, Don Morin, Marcus Moore, John Greenleaf, and Warren Bouchard. Dexter Stowell and Wilbur Myers were elected Trustee Emeriti of the Bethel Savings Bank. Birth: Joshua Taylor. Marriage: Mary Thurston and Daniel Stearns. Deaths: Mabel Robertson, Helen Choate Abbott, John O'Leary.

20 years ago: Elwin Chenery, 15, of Andover was killed when the town highway truck driven by his father and from which he was spreading salt on the icy road, slid on a grade and overturned on him. Brooks Bros. offered substantial reductions in the price in a close-out sale of Polaris snowmobiles. Birth: Shawn Smith. Death: Elwin Chenery.

30 years ago: Seth and Ross Timberlake, Tom and Andy Davis, Wayne and Craig Davis, Greg Bryant, Dan Vogt, Bill Eames, Jim Haskell and David Hutchins, accompanied by Amy Davis and Natalie Timberlake, entertained with an instrumental concert at the Herrick Nursing Home in West Paris. Carol Flint was named a Gould Academy's candidate for the DAR Good Citizenship Award. Births: Peggy Sue Richard, Cheryl Snyder, Sheila Gallant. Marriages: Gloria Hutchinson and John Donahue; Barbara Angevine and Robert Baudo. Death: Dorothy Lovejoy.

40 years ago: Ralph Burris retired from the A&P Company after 23 years at the Bethel store (now the site of Bethel Spa Motel). Harold Bennett was elected president of the Bethel Chamber of Commerce. Birth: Bonnie Hutchinson. Marriages: Carolyn Noyes and Conrad Grant; Nancy Van Den Kerckhoven and Henry Bourgon; W. Beth Swan and John K. Brown. Deaths: Patricia Ann Davis, Arthur Brinck, Belle Bennett.

50 years ago: Paris Farmers Union, South Paris, was completely destroyed by fire with a loss of \$60,000. Pfc. Lee Hutchins was stationed in New Guinea. Leroy Bennett Jr. received a medical discharge from the U.S. Army.

KASSANDRA HAINES' CONDITION UPGRADED

Kassandra Haines, 3, of West Bethel, was listed in stable condition Monday, following an three vehicle automobile accident Dec. 20 that claimed the life of her mother, Kellie Haines, 25.

Kassandra is being treated for multiple trauma included leg and head injuries at Maine Medical Center, according to a hospital spokesman, who said her medical "indicators are excellent."

One of the vehicle drivers, Gerry Parker, 56, of West Bethel was released from Stephen's Memorial Hospital on Dec. 24.

Susan Schonberger, 39, of Bangor, a passenger in a third vehicle involved in the accident, was released from SMH on Dec. 23.

Top ten

Continued from page 1

dropped off—due, according to the increasing President Clinton's policies.

Employment (80 to 100) up only slightly from this time, Gilbert said, increased workload was largely by increased overtime.

In October, the threat the Locke Mills contract averted when members International Union of Workers agreed to a new contract.

The new contract foll of acrimonious negotiation intervention of a federal mediator.

Despite the increased 1993, the dark cloud of workers-compensation continue to hover over local especially those whose involves working with wood.

The ever-increasing workers comp makes it grow a business. Roy even when demand for is strong.

But Don Stecher the problem might be on resolving itself—at least companies willing to vowing their costs down.

"The pendulum is finally to go the other way," "but we've had to work

New life Mt. Ab

1993 was a milestone Mt. Abram, the Lov area with a small but loyal following.

When Mt. Abram current season on D under new ownership, with extensive making and promise improvements to come.

In June a group of including long-time skiers, purchased the the Oxford Bank and ny, which had fore Abram earlier in the 35 years of ownership family.

The bank foreclosed area to satisfy a 19 million, and for a like the ski area might all this season. The Abram on the auction but then refused to the two bids production.

But in June the two ders from the unsold announced that the forces to purchase the

The investment Rick and Micki Hoodfield, Tom Kennis Tim Good of Ken Dutton of Bath.

CL
"LIN"
TO REDUCE C

Financing
qualified buyer
low as \$12.00
no money
Thru Whirlpool

4 Head Hi-Fi
Full Size VCR
19" Color TV
Remote *21
25" Remote
Double Cass
Radio *49.95

WALDO



SAWDUST LOAD LISTS TO STARBOARD--A support under this P.H. Chadbourne trailer gave way last week near the intersection of Routes 26 and 2 in Newry. The weight of the load of sawdust buckled the trailer in the middle. Tim Sawyer of Chadbourne's said State Police attributed the cause of the accident to metal fatigue. Two fork lifts were later used to lift the trailer, so a support could be welded under it and it could be moved off the road. (Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

The Bethel Oxford County Citizen

PO Box 109 Bethel, Maine 04217 • (207) 824-2444

Edward M. Snook Publisher Michael R. Daniels Editor Karen M. Hakala Advertising Manager

Wendy Hanscom Reporter Nancy Wight Customer Service Representative Nancy Forest Print Production Manager

Leo Grillo - Graphic Artist
Vaughn Sawyer - Single Copy Sales Manager
Polly Davis - Production Assistant
Edwin Brown - Proofreader

Advertisers should check their advertisements. The paper shall not be liable for failure to publish an advertisement, or a typographical error, or errors in publication except to the extent of the cost of the advertisement for the first insertion. The paper will reprint that part of any advertisement in which an error occurs.

Second class postage paid at Bethel, Maine, and additional entry offices by The Bethel Citizen, (USPS 416-380). Published Wednesdays at Bethel, Maine 04217.

Subscription rates: In advance, \$15.85 yearly in Oxford County, Maine; \$20.85 a year elsewhere in New England; \$28.85 a year outside New England (foreign postage, if necessary, extra). Single copies, 40 cents. Copies more than 3 months old, \$1.00 each.

Deadline for town news items is Saturday noon. Advertising deadlines: display ads, Monday noon; classified ads, Monday 2 p.m.

The publisher reserves the right to reject, omit or edit any material offered for publication.

Top ten

Continued from page 2

dropped off—due, according to Gilbert, to the increasing effect of President Clinton's economic policies.

Employment (80 to 100 people) is up only slightly from last year at this time, Gilbert said, as the increased workload was picked up largely by increased overtime.

In October, the threat of a strike at the Locke Mills company was averted when members of Local 77, International Union of Electrical Workers agreed to a new three-year contract.

The new contract followed weeks of acrimonious negotiations and the intervention of a federal mediator.

Despite the increased business in 1993, the dark cloud of escalating workers-compensation costs continue to hover over local employers, especially those whose business involves working with wood.

The ever-increasing cost of workers comp makes it difficult to grow a business, Roy Newton said, even when demand for the product is strong.

But Don Stecher thought that the problem might be on the way to resolving itself—at least for those companies willing to work at bringing their costs down.

"The pendulum is finally starting to go the other way," Stecher said, "but we've had to work hard at it."

New life at Mt. Abram

1993 was a milestone year for Ski Mt. Abram, the Locke Mills ski area with a small but exceedingly loyal following.

When Mt. Abram opened for the current season on Dec. 17, it was under new ownership and management, with extensive new snow-making and promises of more improvements to come.

In June a group of investors, including long-time Mt. Abram skiers, purchased the ski area from the Oxford Bank and Trust Company, which had foreclosed on Mt. Abram earlier in the year—ending 35 years of ownership by the Cross family.

The bank foreclosed on the ski area to satisfy a 1988 loan of \$1 million, and for a while it looked like the ski area might not open at all this season. The bank put Mt. Abram on the auction block in May, but then refused to accept either of the two bids produced at the auction.

But in June the two groups of bidders from the unsuccessful auction announced that they had joined forces to purchase the area.

The investment group includes Rick and Micki Hoddinott of Readfield, Tom Kennison of Norway, Tim Good of Kennebunk, and Pat Dutton of Bath.

The Hoddinotts, who will manage the ski area, have run Downeast Whitewater Rafting Company in The Forks for 15 years. Rick Hoddinott said he plans to market the two seasonal activities together and share employees between the businesses.

Over the summer, the new owners doubled the mountain's snowmaking capacity, added new terrain and generally spruced up the physical plant.

Unfortunately, the first season under new management got off to an inauspicious start, when a drenching early December rainstorm forced the opening day to be put off for a week to Dec. 17. The unseasonal weather also limited the amount of terrain that could be opened.

Then the weather reversed itself with a vengeance, and the key Christmas vacation week began so bitterly cold and windy that only the hardiest skiers ventured out for more than a run or two.

But cold weather is good snow-making weather (down to a point), and Mt. Abram spokesman Eric Austin said new trails are being opened as fast as possible.

Dreams fizzle out

Not all was go-go on the field of entrepreneurial dreams in 1993.

Plans fell through this year for a 1,000 seat, high-stakes bingo hall in Albany and for the reopening of Odeon Hall in the Cole Block.

The Passamaquoddy Indian tribe had proposed constructing a bingo hall on a parcel of tribe-owned land in Albany.

The proposed hall generated plenty of controversy when it was first reported in November 1992.

Local residents opposed to the project quickly drafted protest petitions.

While promoters argued that the hall would provide jobs and fill up local hotels and restaurants during off-season weekends in the summer and fall.

But in January 1993, officials from the Passamaquoddy tribe and local hall promoter Earl Tyler found little support for the project at a public meeting in Albany. Nearly 70 people attended the meeting, and

the 40 Albany residents in attendance were unanimously opposed to the tribe's plan.

Several residents said they were worried that local investors, not the Passamaquoddy, would benefit from the project.

Local residents asked who the investors were, and whether or not it was legal to build the hall off-reservation. But those questions went unanswered.

Tribal leadership changed in February, when former tribal governor Robert Newell resigned.

New tribal governor James Stevens told The Citizen in September that the tribe was no longer interested in constructing a hall in the unorganized township.

Tyler, who had backed and planned to manage the hall, said in September he was disappointed, but not really surprised.

The new tribal administration's attitude toward the project had been volatile, Tyler said, going from enthusiasm to indifference.

At year's end Tyler said there still may be some hope for the project.

"My lawyers are still talking to their lawyers," Tyler said, "but I don't see anything happening for at least a year or so. Talks have stalled."

Plans for entertaining the public with film instead of gambling have also gone down the drain.

Kerri Arsenault of Mexico and Adam Sieden of Portland had proposed purchasing the Cole Block property in Bethel and reopening a movie house in Odeon Hall.

The town-owned building houses the Town Office, Police Department, The Bethel Citizen and W. J. Wheeler & Co. Insurance.

Selectmen were enthused about the idea, but negotiations to sell the block never got off the ground.

Prior to the mid-1960s the hall had served as a movie theater and public meeting place.

Sieden and Arsenault had planned to show second-run and foreign films seven evenings a week.

Extensive electrical and plumbing improvements on the second floor hall would have been necessary to meet various safety requirements.

"The work was doable," Sieden said last week, "but the cost became too much. I still think it's a great idea, just maybe somewhere else."

The Bethel Citizen
For complete
local news coverage

Condoms uncondoned

Telstar high and middle school students wanted them, but the school nurse won't be dispensing condoms any time soon.

The SAD44 School Board voted in November to wait and weigh the effectiveness of the district's new health curriculum before making a decision on condom distribution.

After a year of lengthy debates, a public hearing, an ad hoc committee study and a student survey, the School Board voted to wait two or three years before making a decision on handing out condoms.

The board first discussed the issue at a regular board meeting in December 1992. That meeting drew 50 people. The board listened to over 90 minutes of public comment on in-school condom distribution.

Those speaking in favor of creating a condom-distribution policy cited health concerns, including teenage pregnancy, sexually transmitted disease and AIDS.

But they were clearly in the minority. Most people at the December meeting and a public hearing attended by 86 in January 1993 said condom use should not be "condoned" by the school system and any discussion of their use should stay within family confines.

At the end of January, the issue was given to an ad hoc committee.

In November, the committee released a survey showing that nine out of ten Telstar students wanted condoms to be available to high school students, but most of the students didn't want to deal with school staff or their parents in order to get the condoms.

The survey also indicated that nearly nine out of ten Telstar seniors were sexually active.

Eighty-six percent of the students also reported they could get a condom if they wanted one.

The School Board, however, voted to postpone any decision. The board followed the ad hoc committee's recommendation that the

health curriculum was a higher priority.

"It must be revisited," said district nurse Christine Cole, "but I really feel we need the strong educational piece first."

Camping out at CPS

The Crescent Park School rolled down Route 26 this summer and set up for lessons in the Telstar High School teachers' parking lot.

Nine portables now house the student population of approximately 320, while a new addition, which will more than triple the size of the school, is being built.

Complications with asbestos removal at CPS prompted the School Board to vote to relocate the students. The move cost the district approximately \$68,000. Some of the funds were taken from the FY '93 budget and the rest from the FY '94 budget.

So far the move has worked well, according to CPS Principal David Murphy.

"The kids are flexible and making the best of it," Murphy said. "They seem to be happy here. We really benefited from having portables in the past. A lot of the problems of life in a portable we had already dealt with."

"It's been better than anyone could have hoped for," said SAD44 Superintendent Ronald Jenkins. "I don't think education has suffered. It may be a challenge when we have our first two feet of snow to plow."

Telstar Principal Theodore Davis said having the school in the backyard hasn't been too troublesome.

"It's worked out very well," Davis said. "It was the right move to get them out of the construction. We all

had to make some adjustments, but nothing we can't live with for a year."

Middle school students have adjusted to losing a bathroom to the elementary students, Davis said, and Telstar students are getting used to recess noise outside their science classrooms.

The move has also allowed contractors full access to CPS during construction, which has helped speed the process along, Murphy said.

"We'd be months away from where we are now," Murphy said, "if the kids had stayed on site."

Giving and taking away

Two local organizations that relied in part on state funding took deep cuts this year, while a handful of other groups received grant money from various sources.

In February, the Maine Conservation School and the Safer Families Program lost funding to the state budget crunch.

Since 1987 the state had paid for the salary and associated expenses of MCS's executive director Leslie "Buzz" Gamble, who until recently was the school's only full-time, year-round employee.

But in February the Joint Appropriations and Financial Affairs Committee cut Gamble's position.

Another organization also fell victim to the state budget ax.

The Safer Families Program at the Bethel Area Health Center had been supported by a three-year declining grant from the Department of Human Services, but the final year of the grant and the final quarter of the second year were eliminated.

See TOP TEN, page 4

WANTED
Wanted to purchase
WOODLOT
A few acres to 400 acres.
Also would like to
purchase stumpage.
Stumpage paid weekly.
20 years experience.
Joy Hollow Logging
Dan Long, Proprietor
Residence - East Bethel
875-2642 Evenings

New Years Day Sale!
One Day Only!
January 1st • 12-5
The Fashion Basket
Main Street, Bethel, Maine
All the things you
wanted for Christmas
and didn't get!
MC, Visa, Amex & Discover

HAPPY 1994!
May your New Year be full of good health, abundant peace and love, and of course many, many bouquets of beautiful flowers! We can help!
New Year's Corsages
The Unicorn Flower Shop
Open 9-5
Mon.-Fri.
9-1 Sat.
Rt. 26, Bethel, Maine
824-2358

CLEARANCE SALE

"LIMITED TIME" SALE ENDS JAN. 8th

TO REDUCE CURRENT INVENTORY WE'RE LETTING OUR QUALITY PRODUCTS GO CHEAP.

Financing available to qualified buyers. Payments as low as \$12.00 per month and no money down! Thru Whirlpool Acceptance

Bouffards'
MON. THRU SAT. • 9 AM to 5 PM

FREE DELIVERY
on most items - local address
• SERVICE •

SAVE

- Recliners from \$168⁰⁰
- Loveseats from \$218⁰⁰
- Sofas from \$399⁹⁵
- Twin, Full, Queen Size Sleep Sofas
- Fireside Chairs
- La-Z-Boy Recliners, Swivel Rockers, Sofas, Sleepers
- Curio's
- 3 pc. End Table Set from \$159⁹⁵
- Artificial 5 1/2 ft. Trees \$45⁰⁰
- Bedroom Sets from \$599⁹⁵
- Save Hundreds on Solid Oak Bentwood Diningroom Furniture
- Corner Hutches from \$299⁹⁵
- Chests of Drawers from \$69⁹⁵
- 5 pc. Wood Dinette Sets from \$158⁰⁰

• MATTRESSES, ALL SIZES, ALL MODELS CLEARANCE SALE CHEAP PRICES • BOOKCASES from \$25⁰⁰

ELECTRONICS

- 4 Head Hi-Fi Stereo Sound VCR. \$309⁹⁵ SAVE \$90
- Full Size VHS Camcorder \$559⁹⁵ SAVE \$140⁰⁰
- 19" Color TV With On-Screen Menu, Remote \$219⁹⁵ SAVE \$40⁰⁰
- 25" Remote Color TV \$299⁹⁵ SAVE \$70⁰⁰
- Double Cassette, AM/FM Portable Radio \$49⁹⁵ SAVE \$10⁰⁰

APPLIANCES

- Save \$50 to \$100 Off Maytag
- Gibson 30" Electric Range \$299⁹⁵
- Waste King 1/2 h.p. Waste Disposer \$59⁹⁵ SAVE \$40⁰⁰
- 16 cu. ft. Gibson Chest Freezer \$378⁹⁵ SAVE \$112⁰⁰
- Gibson Self-Clean Range \$499⁹⁵ SAVE \$125⁰⁰
- Gibson Frost-Free Refrigerator \$565⁹⁵ SAVE \$135⁰⁰

WASHERS DRYERS RANGES DISHWASHERS

Bouffards'
WALDO ST. • RUMFORD • 364-8931
FURNITURE MARK DOWNS NOW
DISCOUNTS CHEAP PRICES
SAVE - SAVE

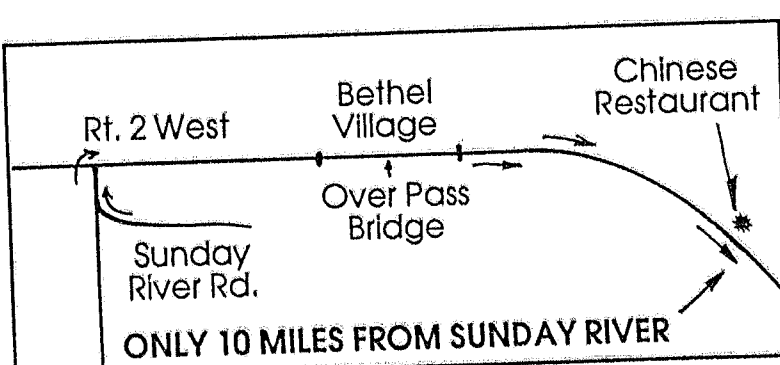
GRAND OPENING

THURSDAY
DECEMBER 30

Pleasant River CHINESE RESTAURANT

RT. 2 • WEST BETHEL

GRAND OPENING SPECIAL
15% OFF TOTAL BILL
WITH THIS ADVERTISEMENT
OFFER GOOD DECEMBER 30 - JANUARY 5



OPEN
11 AM - 9 PM
7 DAYS/WEEK
836-2917
DINE IN
TAKE OUT

Top ten

Continued from page 3

The program, which provides support and advocacy programs for victims of domestic violence, immediately launched campaigns to raise money at local Town Meetings and from other groups.

Safer Families has enough funds to run through the end of the year, according to its coordinator Lynn Mason, and the health center will support the program through January.

Mason's position was cut from full-time to part-time, she said. Volunteers have been called on to perform a wider variety of tasks, she said.

The problem with funding couldn't come at a worse time, Mason said. The number of new advocacy cases in November was three times last year's figure, she said.

But other local organizations benefited from state, federal and private grants during 1993.

The Community Chemical Awareness Team received a \$20,000 grant from Maine's federal Alcohol and Drug Abuse Block Grant, and the Oxford County Regional Solid Waste Corp. was awarded \$142,500 from the Maine Waste Management Agency.

In June, the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce was awarded \$22,500 from the United States Forest Service under the Economic Diversification Studies Program.

The Mahosuc Land Trust received both money and land grants this year, including seven islands in the Androscoggin River donated by Roy Newton, and a \$1,000 grant from the Conservation Fund, funded by Dupont, to help manage the islands. The MLT received an equipment grant of \$1,980 from Apple Computer Co.

Diamonds, other gems

Trains weren't the only all-American tradition to return in 1993.

American Legion baseball was back, and the Gould Academy baseball team, only a year after its rebirth, won a championship title.

In April, the Jackson-Silver Post #68 in Locke Mills announced that the post would sponsor the local return of American Legion baseball.

Les Otten of Newry and Gould Academy baseball coach Charlie Newell coached the 14-man team that went 10-19 for the season.

The Legion boys should be kicking up diamond dust again this summer. Otten and Newell said they both plan to coach. Home games will be at Gould Academy.

In June, the Gould team won the Maine Prep League (MAISAD) title.

After a 15-year hiatus, it was only the second season for Gould

baseball. But the Gould team posted a 7-1 record along the way to the championship.

Other local sports victories in 1993 included triumphs in skiing, softball, field hockey, lacrosse, soccer and the biathlon.

The Telstar High School nordic ski team won the Mountain Valley Conference championship in February for the second year in a row.

In February, Gould Academy women skiers also won the Maine Independent School Alpine Championship race held at Sunday River. The Husky girls also took the MAISAD Cup for the best cumulative point total from the season's six races.

The Gould men also won the MAISAD Alpine Championship race.

At February's U.S. Biathlon Championships in Jericho, Vt., Bethel residents Doug Zinchuk and Ben Michaud shot and skied their way to top finishes. Zinchuk won the 10-kilometer Masters national title for men 30 and over. Michaud, 23, placed sixth in the National Championship Senior Men's 10-k event.

In June, Telstar High School qualified for the Western Maine State Class C playoffs for the first time in three years.

Telstar's post-season baseball play ended abruptly in South China. It was the first playoff game for the team since 1989, when Telstar won the State Class C Championship. The 11th-seeded Rebels took on the sixth-seeded Erskine Academy and lost 16-4.

In June, the Telstar girls' softball team also went into the western Maine Class C playoffs—for the 12th season in a row. Telstar lost the western Maine final playoff game 13-9 to Falmouth. The Rebels ended the season with a 15-2 record.

In the fall the Gould girls took the MAISAD lacrosse championship.

In October, the young, inexperienced Rebel field hockey team ended its regular season with a surprising 7-4-1 record. Along the way, Telstar collected enough goal points to qualify for the western Maine State Class C quarterfinal playoff game. But the Rebels were quickly eliminated 1-0 by Sacopee Valley.

The Telstar boys' soccer team also seeded high enough in western Maine Class C to qualify for the quarterfinal playoff game. The boys posted a 9-2-1 record for the season. But the fifth-seeded Rebels lost 2-1 to Carrabec in the first round of the playoff games.

School Basketball

Telstar 19, Leavitt

The Telstar High School 19-74 Thursday to Leavitt. Sarah Seames, M.J., Les Cheri Myers were high scorers with four points each.

The Rebels held their rebounds in the first half down 15, according to c Seames. The Hornets took the second half outburst star 30-17. The Rebels had and eight turnovers, but ball up 35 times.

The Hornets had their last year after several years less ball, Seames said. La they played 20 games during six-week season and sent to camp for a week.

TMS 14, Mt. Valley

The Telstar Middle School Junior Varsity basketball Mt. Valley 14-13 on Dec.

Jen Walker was high scorer with six points, followed by T with four, Brandy Polan Heather Best, two.

"The team played defensive and rebound yet," coach Blake Johnson made for the joy allowed the team to remain alive.

The girls' next game is 6 at Tripp Middle School

Telstar 26, Jay

The Telstar girls' varsity 26-56 Dec. 16 to Jay. Sarah Richardson was with 10 points and two dows by Beth How points.

7:30 am at the Bethel Middle School on the BE

WINTER SALE 20% - 60% OFF

Women's and Junior's "LOOK FOR THE SALE" All Sales Final - No Returns

197 MAIN STREET, NORWAY, ME 04268 Monday through Saturday until 7:00

John R. Mason FAMILY DENTIST

OFFICE HOURS Mon-Tues 11-8 & Thurs 11-8 Northwest Bethel Rd, 824-3377

Appointments except in case of emergency

MEN'S NIGHT Every Wednesday 5 p.m. - 8 p.m. no appointments

SPECIAL EFFEX Hair Styling Rt. 2 • Hancock 364-3511

Debbie Barlow Owner • Call for your appointment Evening & Weekend

Reiki Reasonant Kines Healing therapies touch are based on a human energy

Reiki is a Tibetan which promotes increased body and promotes

Balancing Energy Holistic and (6)

Olson's Tent Rental Theme Song

Having a Party - Eating Cake If you don't have an Olson's Tent your Making a Big Mistake

20 x 40 \$150 • 30 x 50 \$300 (within reasonable distance) (207) 875-5765 • Bethel

Olson's Tent Rental Theme Song

Having a Party - Eating Cake If you don't have an Olson's Tent your Making a Big Mistake

20 x 40 \$150 • 30 x 50 \$300 (within reasonable distance) (207) 875-5765 • Bethel

Olson's Tent Rental Theme Song

Having a Party - Eating Cake If you don't have an Olson's Tent your Making a Big Mistake

20 x 40 \$150 • 30 x 50 \$300 (within reasonable distance) (207) 875-5765 • Bethel

CALL 824-2444

SERVICE DIRECTORY

DEADLINE MONDAY AT NOON

APPLIANCE REPAIR

Appliance Doctor
I repair and sell used ones:
Stoves, Refrigerators, Washers,
Dryers, TVs, Microwaves
Berlin, NH • 603-752-5939

AUTOMOTIVE

Bryant Pond Auto Body
Insurance Estimates • Glass Work
Frame Straightening
General body and paint work
on all domestic & foreign cars and trucks
We are collision experts.
Chris Manjourides
Felt Road • Bryant Pond
665-2075
"Over 20 Years Experience"

D.R.S. AUTO ELECTRIC
New & Rebuilt
Starters • Alternators • Generators
Foreign • American
Heavy Duty • Farm • Marine
Tel 824-3220
Monday - Saturday 8:00 - 5:00
Jim Hannigan, ASE Certified Tech

YOUR ADVERTISEMENT CAN BE HERE FOR ONLY \$2.70 PER WEEK FOR 13 WEEKS!

OR HERE FOR ONLY \$5.40 PER WEEK FOR 13 WEEKS
CALL 824-2444 TODAY!

AUTO GLASS

AL's AUTO GLASS
New, Used & Repair Service
Auto Mirrors Repaired
Sliders & Sunroofs Installed
10% Discount on Repairs with this Ad

Also
VCR's Repaired & Maintained
All makes & models • Estimates Given
10% Discount on Cleaning with this Ad
Bethel
1-207-824-3465 • 1-800-547-5459

CARPENTRY

CARPENTRY
Dale W. Buck
New Construction
Remodeling, Cabinetry
665-2362

George A. Olson & Son

BUILDERS
Over 35 years experience in new home building and remodeling.
Call 824-2368

CARPENTRY CONT.

John Kimball
824-3191
General Contracting
Remodeling
Vinyl Replacement Windows
Blow Ins • Vinyl Siding

Residential & Commercial Building

New Dwelling
Remodeling • Repairs
Kubota Backhoe & Bucket Work
Test Holes • Ditches • etc.
Jeffrey A. Rainey
Carpentry
PO Box 130 • Locke Mills, ME 04255
(207) 875-2555

New Construction Re-Modeling Roofing Free Estimates

New England Builders

Malcolm Bennett • Bethel, Maine 04217
Evenings (207) 824-3295

CAR WASH

DAN'S CARWASH
Featuring
• Self Service Bays
• On-Site Vacuums
plus an automatic
BRUSHLESS CARWASH
Cross Street, Bethel
Open 7 Days • 24 Hours

CERAMIC TILE

CERAMIC TILE
Design/Installations
David Holmes
207-583-6114
Holmes Company
P.O. Box 51 • Harrison, Maine 04040

CHILDCARE & PRESCHOOL

Country Kids Childcare Center
Located on 5 acres.
Staffed with Highly Skilled Professionals.
Offering a nurturing, loving, creative environment
Infant Toddler Pre-School Nursery School
Where it's fun to be a kid
824-3951
Corner of Route 1 East & Airport Road, Bethel, Maine

COUNSELING
Self Directions
Daniel Hart
LPC
Academic • Career • Personal
Counseling • Teens • Post Secondary
Students & Adults
824-3217
Bethel, ME 04217

CONCRETE

ANDRE'S CONSTRUCTION, INC.
Concrete Foundations & Slabs
Excavation Septic Systems
Andre Bernier
78 East Bethel Road
Bethel, Maine 04217
FREE ESTIMATES
207-875-3784

CONSTRUCTION

We'll Help You Design Exactly What You Have In Mind

R.B. HARRISON Construction
Randall & Nancy Harrison
836-2041
Free Estimates with 23 Years of Experienced Ideas Residential & Commercial

DRIVING SCHOOL

ATLANTIC DRIVING SCHOOL
Atlantic Driving School will now be serving our area. Rent our car & instructor for your road test. Atlantic has 3 new automatic Toyotas. Only a \$50 Deposit is required to start any course. Owners Gary & Gerda Webb of Mechanic Falls. P.O. Box 31 • Mechanic Falls, ME 04256

ELECTRICIANS

Robert Meader
Licensed Master Electrician
Electrical Inspector
369-9312
Commercial & Residential Wiring
Electrical Inspection & Instruction
Rumford & Surrounding Communities

TIMOTHY J. HUTCHINS, INC. MASTER ELECTRICIAN

RESIDENTIAL • INDUSTRIAL COMMERCIAL
207-824-3582

FLOORING

PHILADELPHIA BRAND CARPETING IN-LAID FLOORING TILE CONGOLEUM
WESTERN MAINE SUPPLY CO. BUILDING MATERIALS
CROSS ST., BETHEL 824-2139

FURNITURE REPAIR

FURNITURE REPAIR & RESTORATION
Antique to Contemporary
Call Don Sandstrom
824-3313

HOMEBREW SUPPLY

TWITCHELL BROOK HOME BREW SUPPLY
Complete Beer Making Supplies
One house east of the Roslay on Route 12
824-3754

David Nivus & Heather Hale
Wed - Fri 5-9 • Sat 11-3 • Sun 12-7

INSURANCE

INSURANCE OF ALL TYPES
51 PARIS STREET • NORWAY, ME 04268
207-743-8563
Serving Greater Bethel Since 1865

MASONRY

NEIL DONOVAN
Masonry
CALL 824-2113
BRICK • BLOCK • STONEMASON

L.J. BELANGER MASON CONTRACTOR

364 - 3648
All types of Masonry including... Ceramic Tile
Fireplaces & Chimneys our Specialty
over 25 years of experience

PAINTERS

Interior & Exterior Painting & Wallpapering Roofing
Ron Estes
743-0826

PLUMBING

Ralph "Jug" Merrill
PLUMBING
SEPTIC TANK PUMPING
BETHEL
824-2409

WAYNE BEAN Plumbing

Bethel 875-5828

POWER EQUIPMENT

BAILEY'S
Outdoor Power Equipment
824-2403 • Walker Mill Rd., Rt. 26, South Bethel
Ariens Snow Blowers On Sale Now
3 H.P. - 12 H.P.
Repairing Most Brands
Echo • Poulan • Sachs
Sales & Service

PRINTERS

COPYSET Your friend in the printing business!
1-800-499-6843 • 743-6843
Affordable Quality Printing
Fast Turnaround
Free Pickup & Delivery to Bethel Area
Single & Multi Color Printing Specialists
All types of forms and stationery for the office and computer
Office Supplies
Bulk Mailing Services
61 East Main St. So. Paris

INMAN PRINTING

THE ONE STOP PRINT SHOP
AFFORDABLE PRICES
MADE EASY
GARY & HELEN INMAN
424 Oxford County Road, Bethel, ME 04217
665-2256
WE OFFER:
• LETTERHEAD • BUSINESS CARDS
• ENVELOPES • CUSTOM FORMS
• BOOKLETS • PURCHASE ORDERS
• ADDRESS LABELS • RUBBER STAMPS
• FLYERS • BROCHURES
• SCORING • NUMBERING
• FOLDING • PERFORATING
JUST ABOUT ANYTHING!!!

PROPERTY RENTALS

We have a great selection of short-term and seasonal rentals available!

Our professional services include:
✓ property rentals
✓ property management
✓ association management
✓ housekeeping services
Creative Management Associates
115 Main Street, Bethel
(207) 824-4044

Kennett Realty Rentals

Offering Bethel Area Rentals of homes, condominiums and cottages for weekend, seasonal or long term.
(207) 824-3090

RUBBISH REMOVAL

D & E Sanitation Service
Dwight & Elaine Merrill
P.O. Box 241
Bethel, Me. 04217

SECURITY

For all of your security needs call
Pine State Security
PO Box 383 • Rumford, Maine 04276
364-2905

SEWING

Mountain View Mall, Lower Main Street, Bethel
Sewing
In-Town Location
Open Mon, Wed & Thurs 9-5
824-4024
Specializing In
Commercial & Home Sewing
Custom Flags & Banners
Alterations Parka Repairs Commercial

STAINED GLASS

Hooked On Glass
• Stained Glass
• Supplies & Lessons
• Window Panels
• Gifts or Repairs
George & Nancy Rousseau
16 Mt. Vista Drive
Shelburne, NH 03581
603-466-2109

TAX PREPARATION

TAXES • ACCOUNTING • PAYROLL

PCD Business Service
PATRICIA DOOEN
by appointment
(207) 824-2400

National Association of Tax Practitioners
P.O. Box 125 • Bethel, ME 04217

TAXI TRANSPORTATION

Ski-hubans
Day & night Transportation
(207) 824-4646/824-4626

Offering Day & Night Transportation with a Mountain Touch
Serving an 80 mile radius in the State of Maine
Need a Ride? Call
824-GOGO or 824-GOCO

TENT RENTAL

OLSON'S TENT RENTAL Theme Song
Having a Party - Eating Cake
If you don't have an Olson's Tent your Making a Big Mistake
20 x 40 \$150 • 30 x 50 \$300
(within reasonable distance)
(207) 875-5765 • Bethel

School sports

Basketball

Telstar 19, Leavitt 74

The Telstar High School girls lost 19-74 Thursday to Leavitt.

Sarah Seames, M.J. Learned and Cheri Myers were high scorers with four points each.

The Rebels held their own in rebounds in the first half pulling down 15, according to coach Ray Seames. The Hornets took over in the second half outrebounding Telstar 30-17. The Rebels had 18 steals and eight turnovers, but gave the ball up 35 times.

The Hornets had their first win last year after several years of winless ball, Seames said. Last summer they played 20 games during their six-week season and sent their team to camp for a week.

TMS 14, Mt. Valley 13

The Telstar Middle School girls' Junior Varsity basketball team beat Mt. Valley 14-13 on Dec. 20.

Jen Walker was high scorer with six points, followed by Toni Vacca with four, Brandy Poland, two and Heather Best, two.

"The team played their best defensive and rebounding game yet," coach Blake Johnson said, "which made for the low score and allowed the team to remain competitive."

The girls' next game will be Jan. 6 at Tripp Middle School.

Telstar 26, Jay 56

The Telstar girls' varsity team lost 26-56 Dec. 16 to Jay.

Sarah Richardson was high scorer with 10 points and two assists followed by Beth Howe with six points.

Laura Seames led in rebounds with seven. M.J. Learned led with four steals.

The Telstar girls had 16 steals, tied up 11 loose balls and created 12 turnovers, according to coach Ray Seames, while the Rebels turned over the ball 34 times.

"The big difference in the game came in rebounding," Seames said. "The Tigers outrebounded the Rebels 57-34."

TMS 16, Dirigo 30

The Telstar Middle School girls' J.V. team lost Dec. 16 to Dirigo 16-30.

Tied for high-score with four points each were: Jen Walker, Brandy Poland and Heather Best.

Dirigo was ahead 16-6 at halftime and the Cougars never relinquished the lead, pulling away to a 27-8 lead after three quarters.

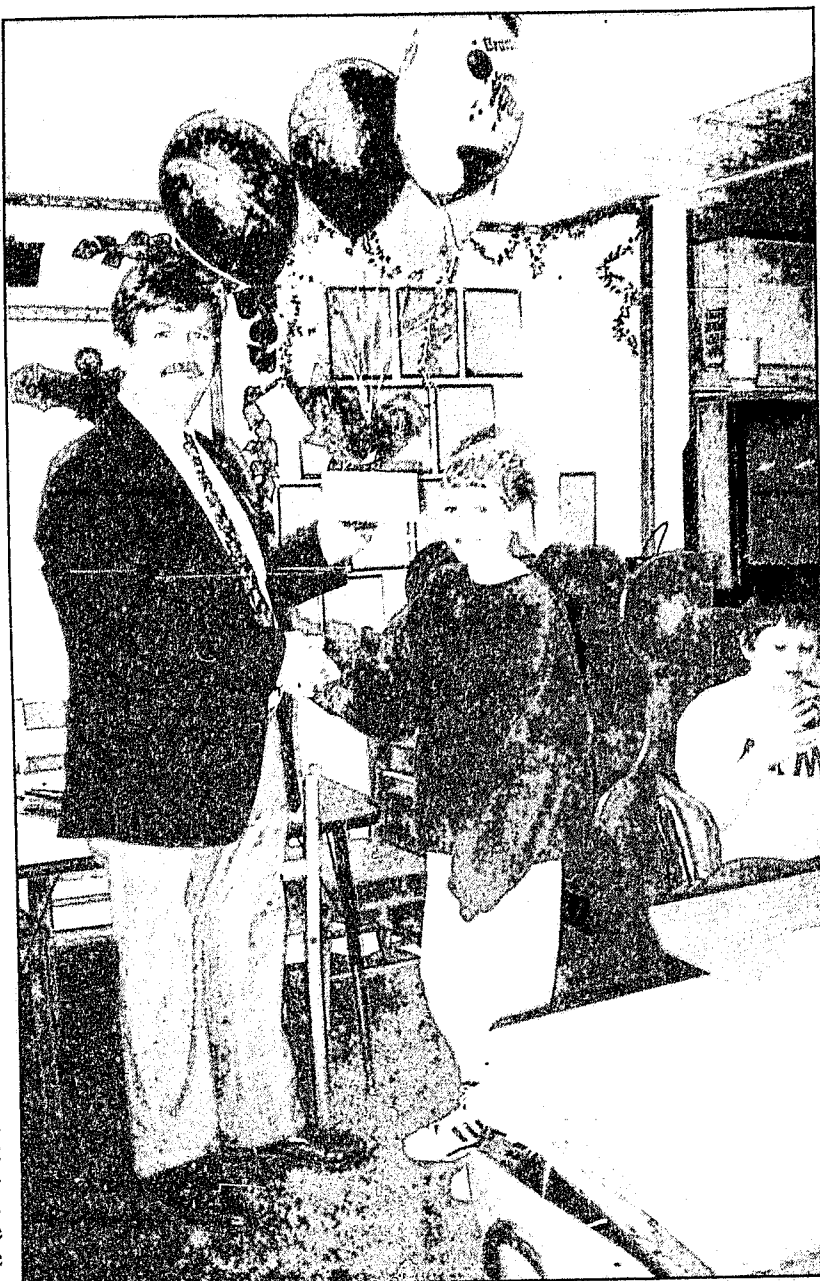
Telstar 26, Carrabec 57

The Telstar girls' varsity team lost 26-57 Dec. 14 to Carrabec.

Sarah Richardson sank 11 points, followed by Beth Howe and M.J. Learned with four.

Howe had five steals. Cheri Myers logged seven rebounds.

"Telstar finally came alive in the fourth quarter offensively with five girls scoring, but the effort was just too late in the game to make a difference," said coach Ray Seames. "Our girls were outlasted in the first half and outrebounded for three quarters when we were unable to box out underneath."



NO PLAYING HOOKY, EVER--Crescent Park School Principal David Murphy recently presented Daniel Zinchuk with an award for 1,000 days of perfect school attendance. Daniel has not missed a day of school since he started kindergarten.

O.S.L.C. students learn by being willing to make mistakes

By SHYE BUCK

On Nov. 8 Mr. Keane's period three and four O.S.L.C. classes loaded the bus and headed to Chewonki, an alternative school for the learning of conservation and natural sciences located in Wiscasset. They had been planning the trip for months and at last the time had come. All the preparation and hard work paid off, as both groups of students had a rewarding experience.

The three-day trip consisted of activities such as: group challenges, a ropes course in a barn, and a wild-goose chase. One of the most exciting challenges was the night map and compass activity. This exercise put groups into the night outdoors with a compass and a map directing them to a spot where they would all meet up together. This is just one of the many exciting things done at Chewonki.

The beauty of this trip is the fact that it will stay in the hearts and minds of those who participated in the three-day excursion.

Just ask senior Kelsey Cross, a member of the period three class: "The activities the class participated in helped our group work together to solve a common problem. We bonded during the three days be-

cause of the challenges faced." Although the classes stayed three days, Kelsey said she wishes she could have stayed longer. That is the only thing she would change about the trip. "It seemed like just as the group was getting into it, and realizing why we were there, it was time to leave."

The teacher, Steven Keane, thought that some students put more into it than others: "Some students put more into it and got more things out of it. Some put less into it and got less out of it." He also thinks that the kids learned many things in this type of classroom: "I think they learned things they could not learn from a textbook. It's more character oriented, self-esteem oriented. They learn a great deal; that's the purpose of the trip." He went on to say that if there were no mistakes in what the groups do, then there would be no purpose of the class. That is why classes like this are so important. Experiential education leaves room for human mistakes, Keane said, mistakes that are often performed on these trips. "These are two groups making some mistakes. They need to. They have to. No mistakes--no reason to have the class."



school lunch menu

WEEK OF JANUARY 3

SAD44 Breakfast Program

Monday: Cereal, fruit juice, protein item, chilled milk.

Tuesday: Enriched honey bun, protein item, chilled milk.

Wednesday: Enriched super donut (chocolate), protein item, chilled milk.

Thursday: Cereal, fruit juice, protein item, chilled milk.

Friday: Peanut butter and jelly graham cracker bar, fruit juice, chilled milk.

SAD44 Lunch Program

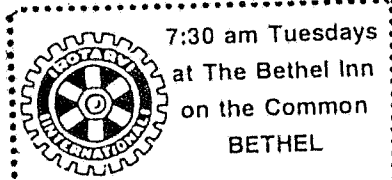
Monday: Cheeseburger on a fresh bun, mixed veggies, chilled fruit.

Tuesday: Vegetable beef stew with dinner roll, green beans, chilled fruit.

Wednesday: Fresh baked pizza, golden corn, chilled fruit.

Thursday: American chop suey, dinner roll, garden peas, apple crisp.

Friday: Egg McRebel (sausage, egg, cheese) on a fresh bun, hot carrot coins, fresh fruit.



7:30 am Tuesdays
at The Bethel Inn
on the Common
BETHEL

WINTER SALE
20% - 60% OFF Regular Prices
Women's and Junior Clothing
"LOOK FOR THE 'SALE' SIGNS"
All Sales Final - No Layaways
Margo's Fashions
197 MAIN STREET
NORWAY, ME • 743-7329
Monday through Saturday 9 to 5
Friday until 7:00 p.m.

John R. Mason, D.D.S.

FAMILY DENTISTRY



OFFICE HOURS:
Mon-Tues 11-8 • Thurs-Fri 8-5
Northwest Bethel Rd, Bethel, Maine
824-3378
Appointments necessary,
except in case of emergency

MEN'S NIGHT
Every Wednesday
5 p.m. - 8 p.m.
no appointment necessary
SPECIAL EFFEX
Hair Styling
Rt. 2 • Hanover
364-3522
Debbie Barlow
Owner • Cosmetologist
Call for your
appointment today!
Evening & Weekend Hours

Reiki

Reiki Kinesiology

Healing therapies which employ touch are based on the premise of a human energy field.

Reiki is a Tibetan healing art which promotes self-awareness, increased body movement and promotes relaxation.

Balancing
Energy,
Holistic Health,
and Well Being



Lindie Blake, R.N.
(207) 824-3889
(207) 836-3802
Bethel, Maine

HANOVER IRONWORKS
WELDING • STEEL FABRICATION • IRONWORK
Roof Racks-Headboards
H.D. Bumpers
Car & Truck Floor & Frame Repairs
Sauna Stoves & Stove Repairs
Fireplace Screen
Sign Brackets
Heavy Equipment Welding
Portable Welding Unit
Hand Rails
Gates - Fences
Spiral Stairs
Security Units
Fire Escapes
Steel Entrance Grating
Rt. 2, Hanover, ME • 364-7271

Philip O'Dwyer, M.D.

Obstetrics and Gynecology

Specializing in:

- ◆ Gynecology
- ◆ Obstetrics
- ◆ Postmenopausal Care
- ◆ Fertility
- ◆ Surgery
- ◆ Pap Smears

Now Accepting New Patients
Call 743-7605

Office location:

Ripley Building
23 Winter Street, Norway, ME 04268



Stephens Memorial Hospital

HAPPY HOLIDAYS FROM CARTER'S X-C
We Carry A Full Line of
Fleece Jackets, Hats,
Socks and Gloves
CARTER'S CROSS COUNTRY SKI CENTER
The Area's Largest
Selection of X-C Ski
Equipment and
Accessories.
Route 26, Oxford, Open Daily 9-6
539-4848

Complete CHIROPRACTIC HEALTH Facilities

- Chiropractic Care
- Physiotherapy
- Examinations
- X-Rays

Bethel
Chiropractic
Main St. Bethel
824-3899



DeMarco
Chiropractic
89 Congress St. Rumford
364-3899

Dr. Joseph F. DeMarco

Check the Tech at Berlin

For A Career With A Future

- ✓ Accounting
- ✓ Automotive
- ✓ Childcare Admin.
- ✓ Community Social Services
- ✓ Computer Tech.
- ✓ Culinary Arts
- ✓ Forestry
- ✓ GIS (Geographical Information Systems)
- ✓ Management
- ✓ Manufacturing Tech. CAD & CAM
- ✓ Nursing
- ✓ Office Tech.
- ✓ Surveying
- ✓ Tractor Trailer Driver Training
- ✓ Water & Wastewater Treatment Tech.

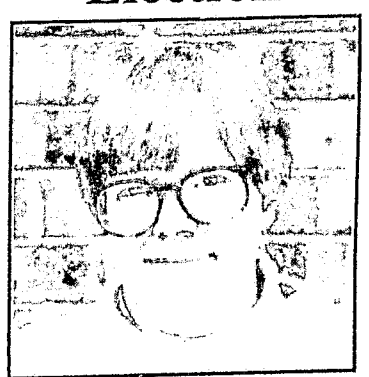
Call (603) 752-1113 or
1-800-445-4525

Now is the time to apply for
Financial Aid & Admissions
& Childcare

Classes begin January 17
Registration is January 12

NEW HAMPSHIRE TECHNICAL COLLEGE AT BERLIN

The Expensing Election



This article is brought to you by
Jane Gray, CPA

Business owners have used depreciation as a way to reduce their taxes for years. Depreciation allows you to write off a portion of an asset's cost over a prescribed length of time. The faster an asset can be expensed, the larger the deduction each year. The fastest method would allow a deduction of the entire cost in the year that asset was acquired. Congress has allowed taxpayers to do just that in Code Section 179.

This special provision was expanded by the 1993 tax law to allow taxpayers to expense up to \$17,500 of business property, such as office furniture. The rule applies to the total amount of such property placed in service during the year. After December 31, 1992, if you purchase, say, a \$5,000 desk and a \$20,000 machine, \$17,500 can be expensed immediately and the remaining \$7,500 can be depreciated under the applicable depreciation rules.

Some limitations apply. If your business purchases over \$200,000 of new equipment in one year, the excess will reduce your deduction. So if you purchase \$207,000 of assets, you can expense only \$10,500 that year. You must also restrict your deduction if your business generates a loss. If that happens, you can carry over your deduction to the following years until your business earns enough income to absorb the cost. And your deduction can be restricted if the asset you want to expense is an automobile. In that case, you are limited to a federally dictated allowance which is less than the maximum allowed for most other equipment.

The expensing election can be a significant benefit to businesses who need to build up or replace their capital assets. The tax savings can help finance this expansion. Business owners should review the expensing election to see if it can generate investment money for their business.

After Christmas
CLEARANCE
Savings
20% to 50%
STOREWIDE
SIMON DAVIS
43 Main Street, Berlin, NH
Open 9-5 • Friday Until 8

Super Crossword

ACROSS

1 Wordy
5 Syllable
before hood
or house
10 Gave one's
word
15 Transmis-
sion setting
19 Take on
board
20 Buffalo Bill,
for one
21 Cretan
capital
22 "Time —
My Side"
("64 song)
23 Floridian's
favorite
Crosby
tune?
27 Actor
Alejandro
28 Turgenyev's
birthplace
29 Karras or
Haley
30 Ain't right?
31 Funny fellow
32 — up
(evaluated)
34 Attain of
1798
36 Placekicker's
prop
37 Fleet
40 Old goat?
41 Gibbons of
"Entertain-
ment
Tonight"

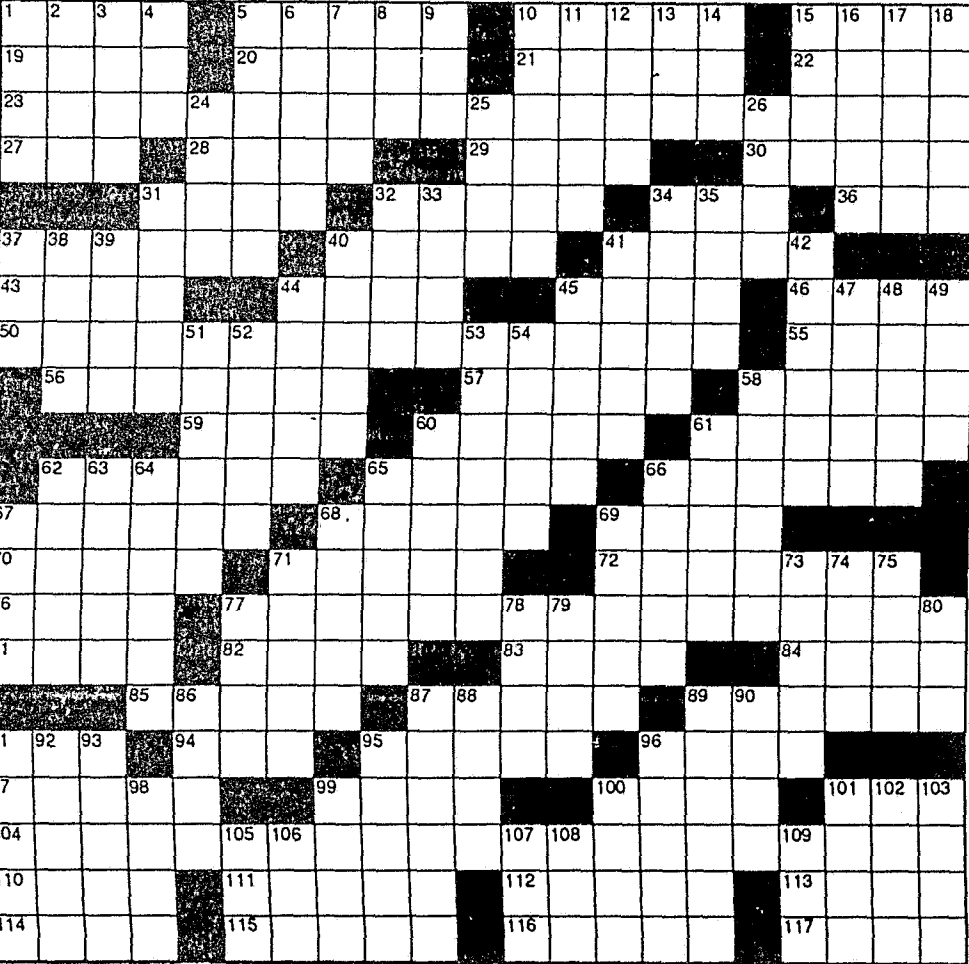
DOWN

43 Couple
44 In the bag
45 Atmosphere
46 Soap
50 Tony Curtis'
juiciest
movie?
55 Akbar's city
56 Copped
some z's
57 Kind of paint
58 It needs to
be threaded
59 Buggy site?
60 Warehouse
store
61 Clean-hair
sound
62 Furtive
65 Sulky horse
66 Held back
67 Mollere
colleague
68 Singer Ian
69 Haleakala's
locale
70 Red as —
71 Boring
72 Where you
live
76 Scheme
77 Parsifal's
produce?
or burgoo
81 So, state
DOWN
82 "The Party's
—" (song)
83 Lotion
additive
84 Drill accesso-
ries
85 — Ababa

87 "On the
Waterfront"
director
89 Mom's final
words
91 Bikini half
94 Be free (of)
95 Amusing
Amsterdam
96 "The Ghost
and Mrs. —"
97 Theatrical
salesman
99 Singer's rival
100 Hypocrisy
101 "Kidnapped"
monogram
104 Orchard-
worker's
form?
110 Fenwick or
Carter
111 Thalia's
sister
112 Popeye's
love
113 Singer
Sonny
114 "Bambi"
extras
115 Broadcast
116 Hunts and
pecks
117 Bouillabaisse
or burgoo
1 "Edda"
character
2 O'Connor's
country
3 Very
revealing
photo?
4 Jack's
predecessor
5 — Leone
6 Fiddled (with)
7 Way off
base?
8 Homeric
character
9 MIT grad
10 Dental
instrument
11 Played in a
pond
12 Jet-black
13 Auto
acronym
14 — de
Cologne
15 Wharf
16 Until now
17 TV exec
Arledge
18 First name
in coaching
24 Urge on
25 Allergic to
work
26 Deride
31 Semi stuff
32 Delhi wrap
33 Particular
34 Corporate
copycat?
35 Century
segment
37 Inclined
38 Super Bowl
shouts
39 Demeanor
40 Kid stuff?
41 Medieval

music
makers
42 Problem
solver?
44 Ready to
drop
45 Fall flower
47 Come to
terms
48 Riser's
relative
49 Peddle
51 Marmot or
mouse
52 Blue hue
53 Tenor
Domingo
54 Thar features
58 Apt rhyme for
worm
60 — Major
(constella-
tion)
61 Iraqi's
neighbor
62 Nautical rope
63 Swell place?
64 Strauss city
65 Origami
supply
66 Clerical title
67 Engrossed
68 "Daisy Miller"
author
69 Mercer
University
site
71 Like shock-
ing pink
73 Brazier bit
74 Cruise
75 Some NCOs

77 City near
Stockton
78 Shake up
79 Massacre
80 Journal
ending
86 Bond toe
87 Fawn
88 Field of
study
89 Light
weights?
90 Multitalented
Moreno
91 Mixture
92 Literary
lover
93 More than
enough
95 — Carlo
96 Novelist
Binchy
98 Shake-
sperean
little start
99 Get wind of
100 Pretty a
poodle
101 Brilliant
display
102 Isolated
103 Chilly
powder?
105 "Be my
guest!"
106 Clubber
Lang's
portrayal
107 Florist's
need
108 Thickness
109 Recipe abbr.



SEE ANSWERS—Back Page



A MATTER OF STYLE—Seniors Patrick Cote and Fred Burk sample the classical and skating tracks on bountiful natural snow during Gould Academy's nordic training camp at Mt. Ste. Anne, Quebec last week. The ten skiers and their coaches found many kilometers of skiing overlooking the St. Lawrence seaway and the Laurentide Mountains; their first official race is the Mt. Blue Relays Jan. 15, where they hope to be one of the top teams.

(Photo by Kirk Siegel)

UM/UMV GARDEN CALENDAR

Did you ever wonder which weeds are edible or how to start seedlings with recycled materials? That information and much more is included in the 1994 North Country Garden Calendar produced for the first time by the University of Maine Cooperative Extension and the University of Vermont Extension System.

The publication, available to the public for \$5, also contains a myriad of day-by-day gardening tips as well as moon phases and beautiful illustrations for each month.

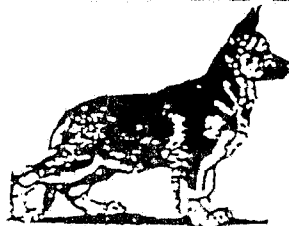
A perfect gift for gardening friends, the calendar offers detailed monthly features on plant hardiness zones, landscaping to reduce energy use, starting seedlings with recycled materials, making a compost pile, using mulches, edible weeds, day lilies, flowers for cutting, flowering crab apples, garden row storage, a wild bird feed guide and holiday decorations.

In addition, the calendar lists the numerous gardening publications available from U Maine Cooperative Extension and the Vermont Extension System.

The principal authors of the publi-

cation are Lois Berg Stack, U Maine Extension ornamental horticulture specialist, and Leonard Perry, University of Vermont Extension System greenhouse and nursery specialist. The calendar was designed by Stanley M. Levitsky, a freelance graphic designer, and edited by Melanie Spencer, state publications editor, U Maine Cooperative Extension.

To order a copy of the calendar, send a \$5 check, payable to the University of Maine Cooperative Extension, to Garden Calendar, UMCI, 5722 Deering Hall, Orono, ME 04469-5722. Order forms also may be obtained by telephoning June McCormick at 1-800-287-0274, Extension 2953.

NATURAL LIFE
PET PRODUCTS, INC.

"People helping pets naturally."

Natural Life Pet Foods are available at
CAMALOUN SHEPHERDS

Your pet's health starts with a nutritional diet. Natural Life pet foods are preserved naturally with vitamin C & D and do not contain Ethoxyquin. Choose a dry or canned food that is right for your canine or feline companion.

Dog:

- Puppy Formula - Give Your Puppy the best possible start!
- Adult Formula - For the best years of your dog's life!
- Senior Formula - After the age of 7, he deserves nothing less
- Condition Formula - "High octane" fuel for the working dog, pregnant or nursing female
- Lamaderm Formula - Lamb and rice diet for the dog with skin or digestive problems.

Cat: in Kitten or Feline formulas.

Call Dick or Fran Bernier at Camaloun Shepherds for information, samples, pick-up, or local delivery. 824-3386.

PRINCESS
TWIN CINEMA

CINEMA I

TOMBSTONE (PG-13)

December 31 - January 6

CINEMA II

The Adams Family Values (PG-13)

December 31 - January 6

MONDAY BARGAIN NIGHT \$3

Sunday-Thursday • 1 Show at 7 pm

Friday & Saturday 7 & 9 pm

25 Green Square • Berlin, NH

(603) 752-2511

Community Calendar



ACTIVITIES

"Maine Narrow Gauge Railroad Co. & Museum", 58 Fore Street, Portland, is now open for visitors. Videos, memorabilia, two-foot equipment, souvenirs and good fellowship on premises—appeals to all ages. Open every day from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Info: 828-0814 or 799-6238 (evenings) for volunteer opportunities.

Thursday, Dec. 30, Shawnee Peak, Bridgton, will pay tribute to Ullr, Norse god of snow and Skade, Norse goddess of skiing with Norse Feast (BBQ) at 6 p.m., On-Snow Ceremony at 7 p.m. and festivities (dancing, contests, etc.) at 8 p.m. Info: 647-8444.

Friday, Dec. 31—New Year's Eve dance at Locke Mills Town Hall with Richard Felt Orchestra.

Hymn Sing at the Pinhook Meeting House, 7 p.m. Everyone invited. Refreshments served.

Saturday, Jan. 1, 7 to 10 p.m.—Just Imagine Coffeehouse, West Parish Congregational Church, Bethel, will feature Anni Clark, singer-songwriter, with her off-beat wit and homespun songs. Donations requested—\$3 for adults, \$1.50 for children and seniors. Drop-in talent welcome. Info: 824-3034.

Monday, Jan. 3, 10 a.m.—Mt. View Kniters meet at Anna Seton Church (new location). Evening group meet at 7 p.m. at 138 Main Street, Fryeburg. Visitors welcome. Info: 935-2109.

Tuesday, Jan. 4, 6:30 p.m.—Agnes Gray School Parent Volunteer meeting in the library.

Pine Tree Legal Assistance meeting with clients, Livermore Falls District Courthouse.

Thursday, Jan. 6, Woodstock Senior Citizens' meeting at the Town Complex, Bryant Pond—potluck dinner with each person to bring plate, cup and silverware and a dish to pass.

7:30 p.m. Bring items for Bethel Area Food Pantry.

Saturday, Jan. 8, Woodstock Historical Society, 7 p.m. Sheriff Lloyd "Skip" Herrick will speak on the history of the Oxford County jail and the office of sheriff.

Monday, Jan. 10, 7:30 p.m.—Newry Mothers Club meeting at Town Building.

Judith Grover Tent No. 17 Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War installation of officers with a 6 p.m. supper.

Tuesday, Jan. 11, Pine Tree Legal Assistance meeting with clients, South Paris District Courthouse.

Wednesday, Jan. 12, 11 a.m.—Bethel Senior Citizens' meeting and dinner at the Methodist Church.

Saturday, Jan. 15, Women at the Change of Life at Riverside Therapeutics, from 8:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. or from 2 to 6 p.m. Fee is on a sliding scale from free to \$25. Topics include the mechanics of menopause, hormonal replacement therapy and managing menopause naturally. To register for more information, contact Janet at 824-3889.

Monday, Jan. 17, West Paris Historical Society meeting and oyster stew supper.

Franklin Grange meeting, Bryant Pond.

Tuesday, Jan. 18, 7 p.m.—Bethel Comprehensive Plan Committee meeting at Town Office.

Pine Tree Legal Assistance meeting with clients, Bethel Area Health Center.

Friday, Jan. 21, last date for preregistration of University of Maine Cooperative Extension gardening workshop series. Info: 743-6329 or 1-800-287-1482.

Monday, Jan. 24, Pine Tree Legal Assistance meeting with clients, Rumford District Courthouse.

Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 5 and 6—L.L. Bean Cross Country Ski Festival. Registration fee is \$25 per day,

per person (under 14 free). Info: 1-800-341-4341, ext. 6262 weekdays 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Monday, Feb. 14—East Andover Community Club meeting.

ABUSED WOMEN'S
ADVOCACY PROGRAM

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and sponsors free and confidential services for presently or formerly abused women. Rumford office—369-0750; 24-hour hotline 1-800-559-2927.

DISTRICT EXCHANGE

Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Thursday, 4-8 p.m. and the first Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

LIBRARY HOURS

Andover Library: Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Saturday, 1-4:30 p.m.; Thursday, 6 to 8 p.m. Tel. 392-4841.

Bethel Library: Monday, 9 a.m.-1 p.m.; Tuesday, 1-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1-5 p.m.; 6-8 p.m.; Thursday 1-5 p.m.; Friday, 4-8 p.m.; Saturday, 1-5 p.m. Story Hour for preschoolers, Thursday, 10-11 a.m. (September through May). Betsy Raymond, Librarian.

Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond: Tel. 665-2505. Library hours: Tuesday, 10 a.m.-4 p.m.; Thursday, 10 a.m.-6 p.m.

Hamlin Memorial Library, Paris Hill: Tuesday-Friday, 11:30-5:30; Saturday, 10-2; Wednesday evening, 7-9 p.m. Tel. 743-2980.

West Paris Library, West Paris: Monday 3-5 p.m.; Wednesday, 1:30-7 p.m.; Friday, 1:30-5 p.m.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library, Hanover: Wednesday, 10-12 through July and August. Story Hour, 10:30 a.m.

CHURCH SERVICES

Bethel
West Parish Congregational—Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass, worship hour 10:30 a.m.

Church of the Nazarene—Rev. John Grant, 9:30 a.m. Sunday School classes for all ages. 10:30 a.m. morning worship. 6 p.m. evening service.

Our Lady of the Snows—Rev. Albert B. Colpitts, Mass—Saturday, 4:30 p.m.

Bethel Gospel Center—Rev. Nathan Seckinger, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship. 6 p.m. evening service.

Bethel United Methodist—Rev. Henry Nickerson, 10:30 a.m. worship.

West Bethel Union—Rev. John Williams, 9:15 a.m. worship and church school.

Pleasant Valley Bible—Rev. Ron Provancher, 9 a.m. Sunday school. 10 a.m. worship.

Locke Mills
Locke Mills Union—Rev. David Wigley, 9 a.m. worship and Sunday school.

Bryant Pond
Bryant Pond Baptist—Rev. Linwood Hanson, 9:15 a.m. Sunday school. 10:30 a.m. worship. 6 p.m. service.

East Stoneham
East Stoneham Congregational—Rev. Janice Wilcox, 10 a.m. worship in February, April, June, August, October and December. 9 a.m. church school (Oct.-June).

Newry
Newry Community Church—Rodney H. Hanscom, closed for winter, worship services again in March, 1994.

Woodstock
Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist—Pastor Michael Cabana, Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship.

REACH

Rape Ed. and Crisis Hotline 1-800-622-2365. Sexual abuse helpline, 743-9777. Past or present victims of abuse.

MONTHLY MEETINGS

First Wednesday: Purity Chapter 102, OES, 6:30 supper, 7:30 meeting. Greenwood Historical Society meets at the Society Building, Main St., Locke Mills, 7:30 p.m.

Woodstock Planning Board meets at the Town Office.

First and Third Wednesday: Newry Planning Board, Town Office, 7 p.m.

Gilead Selectmen meet at the Town Office at 7 p.m.

Second and Fourth Wednesday: Bethel Planning Board meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Every Thursday: West Paris Board of Selectmen meet at the Town office, 6:30 p.m.

First Thursday: United Methodist Women meet at the Bethel Methodist Church at 1 p.m.

Upton Board of Selectmen meets, 6 p.m.

Bethel Historical Society, Dr. Moses Mason House, 7:30 p.m.

Second Thursday: Board of Directors of Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce meets at the Bethel Area Health Center, 7:30 a.m.

Newry Fire Auxiliary meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

Bethel Lodge No 97, AF & AM. S.H.A.R.E. support group for parents suffering loss of infant or miscarriage, at Stephens Memorial Hospital 7-9 p.m., 824-2913.

CPS/PTA will meet from 6:30 - 8:00 p.m. Babysitting provided.

Third Thursday: Fish & Game, at the Bethel United Methodist Church; potluck supper 6 p.m.; meeting at 7 p.m.

Windy Valleys Snowmobile Club, at Newry municipal building, 7 p.m.

First and Third Thursday: Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills, 7 p.m.

Every Friday: Game Party at Jackson-Silver Post No. 68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, 6 p.m.

First Friday: The Oxford County Mineral and Gem Association meets at 7 p.m. at the Newry home of Norman and Eleanor Davis, 824-2844.

Third Friday: Mt. Abram Lodge, IOOF, 7:30 p.m.

Every Sunday: Western Mountains Meditation Group, Center for Natural Healing, 47 Pioneer

Street, West Paris, 9:30 a.m. 674-3961.

Third Sunday: Episcopal House Church at the Bohrs on Chapman Street, Bethel, 4 p.m., 824-2913.

First Monday: Newry Community Ladies' Circle, 12:30 p.m.

Second and fourth Monday: SAD44 Board of Directors meets in Bethel, Woodstock or Andover at 7:30 p.m. Call 824-2185 for meeting place.

The Gilead Fire Department meets at the Fire Station at 7 p.m.

Second Monday: Newry Mother's Club meets, 7:30 p.m.

Third Monday: Mundi-Allen pot luck supper and meeting. Supper starts at 6:30 p.m.

First and Third Monday: Bethel Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

First Tuesday: Three Rivers Sportsmans Club, Hanover 1 of P Hall, 6:30 p.m. potluck supper followed by a meeting.

Second Tuesday: Mundi-Allen Post, American Legion, meeting at 7:30 p.m.

Lafayette League, nursing mothers, meet at 10 a.m. at area members homes Call 836-3567 for more information.

Every Tuesday: Bethel Rotary Club meets at The Bethel Inn, 7:30 a.m.

Greenwood Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office 7 p.m.

Andover Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 6 p.m.

Newry Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 9 a.m.

First and Third Tuesday: Woodstock Board of Selectmen meets at the Town Office, 7 p.m.

The Greater Rumford Alliance for the Mentally III-Children and Adolescent Network (GRAM-CAN) Support, education and advocacy. Meets in the Former St. John's rectory from 6:30-8:00 p.m. in Rumford. Contact Diane at 369-0542.

Cross-Country Quilters meet at the Bethel Library from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m.

Third Tuesday: Pine Tree Legal Assistance at Bethel Area Health Center, starting at 10 a.m.

Bethel Lions Club meets at the Bethel Lions Den, Main St., Social hour—6:30-7 p.m. Dinner at 7 p.m. followed by meeting.

Telstar High School Project Graduation Committee meeting, 6 to 8 p.m., room 106 at Telstar.

Items for the Community Calendar may be brought to The Bethel Citizen office or mailed in or phoned in at 824-2444.

Sammy

Sammy Chap-
bum of original
country to easy
have been waiti

It's a serious
tures Sammy or
with performan

tar, Michael Wi
bass, Merrill R
The album was
engineered and

Among the so
Sammy's tribu
and "Homeless

less kid he knew
streets. There a
from album sale

Other songs in
finding love in
which was writ

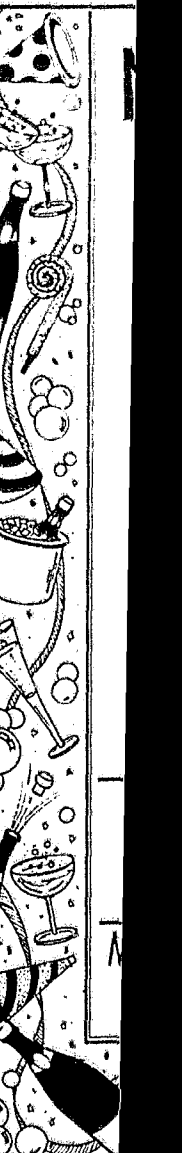
"Walk on Me S
examples of Sa
the "Circuit" w
area for many y

get it on tape.
Cassettes will
South Paris, M
Mexico and Fa
Breaux I and I
The Outlook fo

NEW
SL

Featurin
The Glo
Good ol
DANCE
NO E

New Year
A
Sur





Sammy Chapman releases 'On the Rocks'

Sammy Chapman of Bethel has just released his first full-length album of original songs, titled "On the Rocks." The songs range from country to easy listening, to country rock, and fans of Sammy's music have been waiting for this for a long time.

It's a serious musical endeavor for this singer/songwriter, and features Sammy on guitar, bass, and harmonica as well as lead vocals with performances by noted blues guitarist Mark Miller on lead guitar, Michael Wiskey on drums, Paul Farrar on acoustic guitar and bass, Merrill Rollins on keyboards, and Richard Labonville on drums. The album was recorded at The Outlook studio in Bethel and engineered and produced by Ted St. Pierre.

Among the songs included on the album are "Vince's Song," Sammy's tribute to his nephew who died tragically a few years ago, and "Homeless Eddie," a song Sammy says was inspired by a homeless kid he knew whose life had fallen apart, leaving him alone on the streets. There are plans in the works to donate a portion of the profits from album sales to help the homeless here in Maine.

Other songs include "The Personal Song," about the difficulties of finding love in the newspaper classifieds, "Goin Back to Dixie," which was written while returning from a recent trip to Nashville, "Walk on Me Softly," which has a mellow jazz flavor and more fine examples of Sammy's songwriting talents. Sammy has been playing the "Circuit" with many different bands and solo performances in the area for many years. Fans of Sammy's music finally have a chance to get it on tape.

Cassettes will be available at Brown's Mobil, Preb's in Bethel and South Paris, Maine Line Products, the Labonville stores in Berlin, Mexico and Farmington, TNT Video in Bryant Pond, Telstar Video, Breau's I and II, Books 'n Things in Oxford Plaza, and by mail from The Outlook for credit card orders 824-3246.

BETHEL LIBRARY OFFERS QUINCENTENNIAL PROGRAM

The Bethel Library is among 80 sites in Maine, Massachusetts, and New Hampshire selected by the three state humanities councils to host a reading and discussion program developed especially for the 500th anniversary of Columbus' voyages to the Americas.

Now in its second year, the program has received an overwhelmingly enthusiastic response from participants and sponsors.

Entitled "Different People, Different Places: Native Americans, Europeans and the Environments They Created," the five-part program examines the forces that have shaped America by focusing on interactions between Native American and Euro-American cultures over the past 500 years and the role that different attitudes toward the natural environment played in those struggles.

The program will consist of five sessions held two weeks apart beginning on Jan. 12 at 7 p.m. at the library. The program is open to the public free of charge, but participation is limited to the first 25 registrants.

The series begins with "The Four Voyages of Christopher Columbus" and concludes with Leslie Marmon Silko's "Storyteller." Also included are: "The Broken Spears--The Aztec Account of the Conquest of Mexico," Cabeza de Baca's fascinating "Adventures in the Unknown Interior of America" and William Wood's 1634 "New England Prospect."

The books are being provided through the state humanities council and are loaned to the first 25 registered participants through the Bethel Library. Those who register for the program should be prepared to make a commitment to the full series.

Each two-hour session will begin with a brief presentation by a specially trained humanities scholar, teacher or writer who will then lead the discussion. The scholars include historians, anthropologists, literature scholars and specialists in American, Latin American and Native American studies drawn from New England cultural institutions and colleges.

"Different People, Different Places" theme brochures describing the program in more detail are available. For more information or to register, contact Stan Howe at the Bethel Historical Society (824-2908) or Betsy Raymond of the Bethel Library (824-2520).

Dean's list

At Johnson & Wales:

Kimberly York of Bryant Pond, who is majoring in food marketing.

BSA TROOP 565

On Saturday, Dec. 4, Boy Scout Troop 565 of Bethel helped with the clean-up at the top of Speckled Mountain in the White Mountain National Forest.

The participants were: Josh Adams, Axel Annis, James Bonney, Freeman Corriveau, Jason Hebert, Matt Koskela, Brent Lake, and leaders Larry Bonney, Al Lake and Ray Cooley.

The group hiked up the Spruce Hill trail, starting at Route 113 in Evans Notch, and continued on the Bickford Brook trail to the top of Speckled Mountain. There, at the old fire tower site, the troop warmed up lunch and then moved 32 grain bags of debris and rubbish from the old buildings and dump down the trail about one-eighth mile. The bags had been filled by a previous group who had combed the site as part of the wilderness restoration project in that area. The bags had to be moved to a place accessible by dog sled for removal this winter, as motorized vehicles are prohibited in a wilderness area.

The length of the hike was a little over six miles, with about one-and-one-half hours spent moving the bags.

RUMFORD POINT FRUIT SALE

The Rumford Point Church's second fruit order of the season is now being taken. This order is for pink grapefruit and honeybell tangelos. The order must be placed by Jan. 2 and the expected pick-up time is Jan. 12. The price of the pink grapefruit is \$15.75 a case and \$8.15 a half case. Tangelos will all be packaged in half cases and will be at a cost of \$11.40 per half case.

To place an order, please contact Dick or Barbara Burns at 364-7604 no later than Jan. 2. The pick-up spot on Jan. 12 will be from 5:30 to 7 p.m. at the Rumford Point parsonage on the corner of Route 2 and the Jed Martin Road in Rumford Point.

American Legion Post 68

BINGO

\$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$

Gore Road, Locke Mills

824-3785

Great Selection of Pull Tabs

Winner Takes All

State Limit Paid Out

Every Wednesday &

Friday 6 PM

Sealed Ticket Early Birds,

Doors Open at 4:00 PM

Jackson-Silver Post

Hall Rentals Call:

207-824-3785

GREAT Food! Prices!

- ON THE WAY TO SUNDAY RIVER -

DUNKIN DONUTS & COFFEE

Stop In!

EXPRESS PASTA

SANDWICHES

SOUPS

CHEESES • WINE

COLD BEER • SODAS

OPEN NOW

WE DELIVER

THE BOTTLE & BAG

Route 2, Bethel, ME

(207) 824-3673

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Call Ahead!

Join Us for blues & jazz in our loft!

Wed & Thurs 12/29 & 30

International

Recording Artist

SHIRLEY

LEWIS

New Years Eve & Jan 1

TEESHA

SAWYER

new entertainment

for the nineties

Reservations

now

being accepted

for

New Year's Eve

NOW OPEN

MONKS INN

A Crust of Bread...

A Wedge of Cheese...

A Glass of Wine...

An Apple, maybe?

A candlelit country restaurant featuring provincial French and Swiss cuisine.

Route 2 • Bethel, Maine

Open Daily

(207) 824-3333

News from

Evans Notch Ranger Station, W.M.N.F.

Snowmobiling on the W.M.N.F.

After the recent snow, many roads on the National Forest are closed to vehicle traffic in the winter and spring to protect sensitive resources, and Oregon asks first Forest visitors contact the Ranger District office for information on road closures when planning a trip to the woods.

If you would like further information about specific snowmobile trails and regulations, or if you notice illegal snowmobile activity on the White Mountain National Forest, please contact the Evans Notch Ranger District Office, White Mountain National Forest at RR 2, Box 2270, Bethel, ME 04217, or telephone 824-2134.

Help us Ring in 1994! New Years Eve Party!

space is limited...so make your reservations today!

Live Music

Wednesday

Nite:

DESPERATE

AVIKADOZ

Thursday

Nite:

HOOT

NITE!

Fri & Sat

Nites:

JIMMY & THE

SOUL CATS

Sunday

Nite:

THE KILLER

GREENS

THE SUDS

Food & Fun 'til almost 11 • HAPPY HOUR 4-6 pm

Under the Sudbury Inn • Main St • Bethel • 824-6558 • Open 7 Nites

Breau's Pizza & Subs

"Eat-In - Take-Out" Route 2, Bethel, Maine

824-3192

The BEST Pizza!

100% Lobster Stew!

Over-stuffed potato skins

Seafood Dinners & Chowdahs

Don't Forget "WE DELIVER" Some Restrictions

Breau's Too!!

Route 26, Bryant Pond • 665-2933

Convenience Store and More!

"We Deliver"

Chinese Food Mayflower Chinese Restaurant

LUNCHEON BUFFET

Monday thru Saturday • 11AM - 2PM

from \$4.95 Senior Citizens \$3.95

Pu Pu PLATTER

with Pork Fried Rice for 2

\$13.95

NOW SERVING

GOLDEN BANANAS-FRIED ICE CREAM

for dessert!

OPEN 7 DAYS A WEEK

DINNER SPECIALS DAILY

Route 2, Rumford, ME

207-369-9308 or 369-9306

All Major Credit Cards Accepted

Cornwall Shopping Plaza

Rt 26 • South Paris, ME

(207) 743-2303

Ring in the New Year in Style

Treating yourself to a special New Year's Eve is as easy as ABC...

Apres ski in our Millbrook Tavern featuring Jim Stoner on the piano from 4-6 p.m. (free munchies)

Beside fireplaces aglow enjoy country elegant candlelight dining. Special New Years Eve hours 6-10 p.m.

Count down the final second of 1993 with local favorite - the Underchievers and friends. Live rock and roll dancing and complimentary champagne toast from 10:00 - 2:00 a.m. in our Conference Center. \$15 cover charge

The Bethel Inn Country Club

For Dinner Reservations Call 824-2175

Receive \$5⁰⁰ Off Admission to the party with your dinner check stub.

Country Club Members: Free Admission to New Year's Eve Party

THURSDAY EVENING DECEMBER 30, 1993										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Murphy B.	Time Trax		Kung Fu: The Legend	News	NBA Basketball: Celtics at Clippers			
(5)	Waltons		Young Riders		Father Dowling		700 Club		Bonanza	
(6)	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Mad-You	Wings	Seinfeld	Frasier	Sequest DSV		News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Missing Persons		Matlock		Primetime Live		News	
(10)	MacNeil-Lehrer	Maine	Maine		Mystery!		Seen the Glory		Charlie Rose	
(11)	Sportscenter		College Football: Holiday Bowl -- Brigham Young vs. Ohio State						Sportsctr.	
(12)	Club Dance	Ctry News	Farm Aid: River of Hope		Music City Tonight		Club Dance		Ctry News	
(13)	Entertain.	Edition	In the Heat of the Night		Eye to Eye		TV Moments		News	
(14)	Basketball	Equestrian: Mill Street			Tennis	Equestrian: Mill Street Int'l. -- Indoor	Athlete		Talk Sport	
(15)	Movie: "Cadence"				Movie: "Death Ring"		Comedy		Inside the NFL	
(17)	Movie: "Stand and Deliver"				Movie: "The Grey Fox"				Movie: "Revolution"	
(18)	"Bebe's Kids" Cont'd		Movie: "The Last of the Mohicans"				Movie: "National Lampoon's Vacation"			
(20)	This Week in the SWC		College Hockey: Great Lakes Inv.						Orange Bowl Preview	
(21)	Unsolved Mysteries		L.A. Law		Movie: "Four Friends"				Mysteries	
(22)	Griffith		B. Hillbillies		Movie: "Lace II"		Movie: "Lace II"			
(24)	Looney	Bullwinkle	Partridge	Get Smart	Dragnet	Newhart	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Lucy Show
(25)	Movie: "That Hamilton Woman"				Movie: "Remember the Night"				"Harlow"	
(26)	Major Dad	Wings	Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Dead Reckoning"		Wings		Wings	
(27)	In Search Of		Real West		Christmas in Vienna		Int'l Children's Awards		In Search Of	
(32)	Gimme B.	Fish	Renegade		Barnaby Jones		News		Sts. of Frisco	
(34)	Design. W.	NBA Basketball: Chicago Bulls at Charlotte Hornets					News		Night Court	Highlander
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews		Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline

SUNDAY EVENING JANUARY 2, 1994										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Kung Fu: The Legend		Wild West				News	Manager	H. Patrol	Hockey
(5)	My Dog	Baby Race	Jungle	Big Jake	Snowy River: McGregor		In Touch		Ben Haden	Ankerberg
(6)	I Witness Video		Sequest DSV		Viper				News	Suspect
(8)	Videos	Funnies	Lois & Clark-Superman		Movie: "Heartbreak Ridge"					
(10)	All Creatures		Nature		Masterpiece Theatre				"Laughter in Paradise"	
(11)	NFL Primetime		NFL Football: New York Jets at Houston Oilers						Sportscenter	
(12)	Auto Race	NHRA	Racing	Raceday	Fishin'	Fishing	Bassmaster	Outdoors	Road Test	Trucks
(13)	60 Minutes		Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Jane's House"				News	
(14)	NBA Basketball: New Jersey Nets at Boston Celtics		Th'breeds		College Basketball: St. Mary's at California					
(15)	"Strictly Business"		Movie: "Beverly Hills Cop II"				Movie: "The Finishing Touch"		Hard. TV	
(17)	Movie: "Snowball Express"				Hollywood Yrs.				Movie: "The Best Years of Our Lives"	
(18)	Star Trek VI		Movie: "Final Analysis"				Movie: "Happy Hell Night"		Warriors	
(20)	Sport	Interview	NHL Hockey: Washington Capitals at Boston Bruins						Winter Speed	
(21)	From the Dead of Night		Movie: "Spenser: Pale Kings and Princes"				Lifetime Magazine		Clapgood	Mysteries
(22)	Movie: "Victims"				National Geographic Explorer				Earth	Chrysler
(24)	Alfred?	R'house	Nick News	Mork	Lucy Show	Van Dyke	M.T. Moore	Newhart	Dragnet	Hitchcock
(25)	Movie: "The Adventures of Marco Polo"				Movie: "Wonder Man"				The Kid From Left Field	
(26)	"Love Kills" Cont'd		Movie: "Treacherous Crossing"				Movie: "Drop Dead Gorgeous"			
(27)	House of Eliott		Movie: "The Battle of Neretva"				Miss Marple		Caroline's Comedy Hour	
(32)	Eddie's	That Girl	Mod Squad		Fugitive		News	Charles	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.
(34)	Lifestyles-Rich		Movie: "Fear"				News		Night Court	Comedy
(39)	Pinnacle	Sport Sun.	Primenews		CNN Presents		World News		Sports	Business

FRIDAY EVENING DECEMBER 31, 1993										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Murphy B.	Three Stooges New Year's Eve Marathon		News		New Year's Eve Marathon			
(5)	Waltons		Movie: "Cold Turkey"				700 Club		Bonanza	
(6)	Murphy B.	Roseanne	King Orange Parade		Movie: "Love Can Be Murder"				News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Fam. Mat.	Boy-World	Step by S.	Mr. Cooper	20/20		News	
(10)	MacNeil-Lehrer		Wash. Wk.	Wall St.	Waiting for God		Served	Fawly T.	New Year's Eve	
(11)	College Football: Peach Bowl -- Clemson vs. Kentucky Cont'd				College Football: Alamo Bowl -- California vs. Iowa					
(12)	Club Dance	Ctry News	Video Album		CMT Countdown		Club Dance		New Years Eve	
(13)	Entertain.	Edition	Movie: "A Twist of the Knife"				Picket Fences		Kim Block's Christmas	
(14)	Adventure	Fame	Major League Baseball's Greatest Games				College Basketball: S. Fla. at Ala.-Birmingham			
(15)	Inside the NFL		Movie: "I'm Gonna Get You Sucka"		Movie: "White Men Can't Jump"				Sanders	
(17)	"The Absent Minded Professor"		Movie: "Honey, I Blew Up the Kid"		Movie: "Ghostbusters"					
(18)	"Howards End" Cont'd		Movie: "Love Potion No. 9"		Movie: "Innocent Blood"				Mirror	
(20)	Ski Base	Bruins	NHL Hockey: Boston Bruins vs. Philadelphia Flyers						Winter Speed	
(21)	Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: "Blame It on Rio"				Movie: "It's a Wonderful Life"			
(22)	College Football: Gator Bowl -- Alabama vs. North Carolina						National Lampoon's Animal House			
(24)	Looney	Bullwinkle	Nick New Year's Eve						Pete-Pete	
(25)	Movie: "Flying Down to Rio"		Movie: "Daddy Long Legs"				Movie: "Carefree"			
(26)	Major Dad	Wings	Murder, She Wrote		Movie: "Vice Academy"				"Vice Academy 2"	
(27)	In Search Of		Year's Worth-Will Durst		Best-Comedy		Caroline's Comedy Hour		Evening at the Improv	
(32)	Gimme B.	Fish	Simon & Simon		Barnaby Jones		News		Sts. of Frisco	
(34)	Design. W.	Jeffersons	Movie: "Smokey and the Bandit"				News		Night Court	Zanie's
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews		Larry King Live		Year in Review		Sports	Moneyline

MONDAY EVENING JANUARY 3, 1994										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Murphy B.	Movie: "Mr. Mom"				News	Empty Nest	Cheers	H. Patrol
(5)	Waltons		Young Riders		Rescue 911		700 Club		Bonanza	
(6)	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Fresh Pr.	Good Life	Movie: "Betrayal of Trust"				News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Day One		NFL Football: Philadelphia Eagles at San Francisco 49ers					
(10)	MacNeil-Lehrer		I'll Fly Away		Challenge to America				Charlie Rose	
(11)	Sportsctr.		NFL Prime Monday		College Basketball: Nebraska at Iowa State				Duke-Ky	Sportsctr.
(12)	Club Dance	News	Stardom	Texas	Music City Tonight		Club Dance		News	
(13)	Entertain.	Edition	Shade	Dave's	Murphy B.	Love-War	Northern Exposure		News	
(14)	College Basketball: SW Louisiana at Jacksonville				Basketball	Celtics Wk	Sports	Sportswriters on TV	Soccer	
(15)	Used Ppl	Mr. Bean	Movie: "Frankie and Johnny"				Movie: "Light Sleeper"			
(17)	Faerie Tale Theatre	Avonlea			Movie: "Holiday Inn"				Bing-Legendary	
(18)	"Absence of Malice"		Movie: "Protocol"				Movie: "Freejack"		Puppet-3	
(20)	Bos. Sprt. Shop		Surfing: Xcel Pro		College Basketball: Fresno St. at Colo. St.				Boxing: Prime Series	
(21)	Unsolved Mysteries		Sisters		Movie: "Too Scared to Scream"				Unsolved Mysteries	
(22)	Griffith	B. Hillbillies	Movie: "The Longest Yard"				Movie: "In the Heat of the Night"			
(24)	Looney	Bullwinkle	Partridge	Get Smart	Dragnet	Newhart	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Lucy Show
(25)	Movie: "Elephant Walk"				Movie: "Forever Amber"				Road Hse	
(26)	Major Dad	Wings	Murder, She Wrote		WWF Monday Raw		Silk Stalkings		Wings	Wings
(27)	In Search Of		Wolper Pres		Sherlock Holmes		Lovejoy Mysteries		In Search Of	
(32)	Eddie's	That Girl	Mod Squad		Fugitive		News		Kojak	
(34)	Design. W.	Jeffersons	College Basketball: DePaul at Dayton				News		Night Court	Emer. Call
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews		Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline

SATURDAY EVENING JANUARY 1, 1994										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Empty Nest	Murphy B.	Wild West				News	Movie: "Shane"		
(5)	Rescue	Jungle	Rescue 911		Movie: "Gunfight at the O.K. Corral"				Skies	
(6)	College Football		College Football: Orange Bowl -- Florida State vs. Nebraska				News		Sat. Night	
(8)	College Football: Rose Bowl		College Football: Sugar Bowl -- Florida vs. West Virginia							
(10)	Maine	Media W.	From Vienna: New Year's				Richard Tucker Opera Gala		Sandbaggers	
(11)	Sportsctr.	Amazing Games	Amazing Games		Amazing Games		Games		Sportscenter	
(12)	Stardom	Stardom	Grand Opry	Grand Opry	Grand Opry	Grand Opry	Hee Haw		Grand Opry	Grand Opry
(13)	Untouchables		Medicine Woman		Harts of the West		To Be Announced		News	
(14)	Talk Sport	Rinkside	Kickboxing: Hard Knock 4 -- World Championship				NHL Hockey: Whalers at Islanders			
(15)	Don't Tell Mom		Movie: "Forever Young"				Dream On	Crypt Tales	Movie: "Alien 3"	
(17)	Movie: "Ben Hur" Cont'd				Movie: "The Bishop's Wife"				Marx Bro	
(18)	Movie: "Coma" Cont'd		Movie: "Traces of Red"				Movie: "Angelista"		Killer Inst	
(20)	Wint. Spd.	IHL Hockey	Milwaukee Admirals at Las Vegas Thunder				Bowling: ABC World Team Challenge			
(21)	Prizzi's		Movie: "The Cotton Club"				Hidden	Hidden	Unsolved Mysteries	
(22)	WCW Saturday Night		Movie: "Voice of the Heart"						Movie: "Voice of the Heart"	
(24)	Nick at Nite Classic TV Countdown Cont'd									
(25)	Spring-Rockies		Movie: "The Gang's All Here"				Movie: "Weekend in Havana"		Down Arg.	
(26)	Are You Lone.		Movie: "Body Language"				Movie: "Sweet Poison"			
(27)	Hm. Again	Hm. Again	Movie: "Rio Bravo"						Caroline's Comedy Hour	
(32)	Eddie's	That Girl	Mod Squad		Fugitive		News	Charles	Kojak	
(34)	Amadeus		Movie: "Children of a Lesser God"				News		Night Court	Runaway
(39)	Capital	Sports Sat.	Primenews		Larry King Weekend		World News		Sports	Capital

TUESDAY EVENING JANUARY 4, 1994										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3)	Cheers	Murphy B.	Movie: "The China Lake Murders"				News	Empty Nest	Cheers	H. Patrol
(5)	Waltons		Young Riders		Rescue 911		700 Club		Bonanza	
(6)	Murphy B.	Roseanne	Saved-Bell	Good Life	Larquette	Cafe Ame	Dateline		News	
(8)	Fortune	Jeopardy!	Full House	Phenom	Roseanne	Coach	NYPD Blue		News	
(10)	MacNeil-Lehrer		Nova		Challenge to America				Ch. Rose	
(11)	Sportsctr.		College Basketball: Iowa at Ohio State				College Basketball: Vanderbilt at Kentucky		Sportsctr.	
(12)	Club Dance	News	American Music Shop		Music City Tonight		Club Dance		News	
(13)	Entertain.	Edition	Rescue 911		Movie: "Armed and Innocent"				News	
(14)	Basketball	Lou Holtz	Major League Baseball's Greatest Games				Tuesday Night Football		Sports Gals	
(15)	Nate and Hayes		Movie: "Forever Young"				Heaven		Movie: "Hostage"	
(17)	"Sebastian Star Bear	First Mission	Snowman		King A. Firmed Record		Montgomery to Memphis		TV Academy	
(18)	"Leonard Part 6"		Movie: "Patriot Games"				Movie: "Deadly Force"			
(20)	NBA Action: Eagles 94		College Basketball: Villanova at Boston College				Triathlon: Tahoe-Reno		Cycling: Race-Amer.	
(21)	Unsolved Mysteries		Sisters		Movie: "Sins of the Father"				Unsolved Mysteries	
(22)	Griffith	B. Hillbillies	Movie: "Bloodsport"				Movie: "Invasion U.S.A."			
(24)	Looney	Bullwinkle	Partridge	Get Smart	Dragnet	Newhart	M.T. Moore	M.T. Moore	Van Dyke	Lucy Show
(25)	Movie: "Lucy Gallant"				Movie: "The Naked Prey"				Movie: "Lucy Gallant"	
(26)	Major Dad	Wings	Murder, She Wrote		Boxing				Wings	Wings
(27)	In Search Of		Biography		Touch of Frost				In Search Of	
(32)	Eddie's	That Girl	Mod Squad		Fugitive		News		Kojak	
(34)	Design. W.	Jeffersons	Movie: "Dakota"				News		Night Court	Suspect
(39)	Moneyline	Crossfire	Primenews		Larry King Live		World News		Sports	Moneyline

WENDALL H. SWEETSER
Interior and exterior painting,
wall papering, carpet cleaning,
roofing, carpentry, repairs,
and odd jobs.
CALL 665-2498

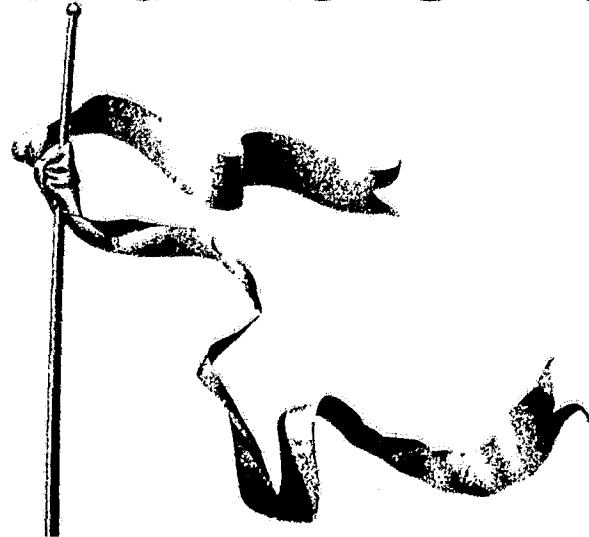
EAST WEST TRAVEL INC.

Full Travel Services
(and there is no charge for our services)

Whether you're planning a long trip or only an overnighter. Consultations and reservations for airlines, trains, cruises - package and group tours. Hotel reservations. Car rentals. Travel Insurance.

Call 369-0144
1-800-427-0140
128 Congress Street, Rumford, ME

Tie one on.



This holiday season, join Mothers Against Drunk Driving (MADD) and me, your Allstate agent, in the "Tie One On For Safety" campaign promoting safe, sober driving. Stop by my office for your free red ribbon, and fly it proudly from your antenna or side mirror.

WJ WHEELER & CO. INC.
824-2580 • Main Street, Bethel

© 1993 Allstate Insurance Company, Northbrook, Illinois.

WEDNESDAY EVENING JANUARY 5, 1994				
-----------------------------------	--	--	--	--

1993

11:30

ockey

inkerberg

suspect

paradise"

rucks

nia

ard. TV

Warriors

ysteries

chrysler

itchcock

Left Field

medy Hour

Paid Prog.

Comedy

Business

11:30

H. Patrol

Sportscr.

News

Soccer

ary

Puppet-3

Series

ysteries

e Night

Lucy Show

Road Hse.

Wings

Emer. Call

Moneyline

11:30

H. Patrol

Ch. Rose

Sportscr.

News

y

ce-Amer.

ysteries

Lucy Show

cy Gallant

Wings

DI

Suspect

Moneyline

11:30

H. Patrol

se

er

News

Basketball

s Swordsmin

Blood

asketball

Mysteries

Lucy Show

e Foxes"

Wings

Of

rt Renegade

Moneyline

New Year's Greetings 1994



JOY TO THE WORLD

Please accept our thanks for your patronage.

Brooks Bros., Inc.
Main Street, Bethel

GLAD TIDINGS TO YOU!

Hope your season is filled with cheer.

Lowell's Saw Shop
Route 26, Bethel

Seasons Greetings



Breau's Pizza & Subs
Route 2, Bethel
824-3192

Breau's Too!
Bryant Pond
665-2933

PEACE

Our entire staff wish you and your loved ones a joyous and bright holiday season.

Newton & Tebbets
Bethel

Happy New Year!

To old friends and new we wish all the joy, warmth and wonder that the New Year has to offer. Thank you so very much.

Fashion Basket & Brass Buckle
Main Street, Bethel

Jingle Bells, Jingle Bells

We've come a long way since the horse-drawn carriage, but our commitment to family traditions and old-fashioned values remains the same. Happy holidays and heartfelt thanks to our many good friends.

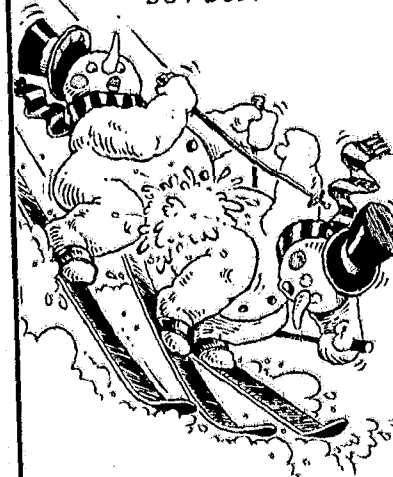
Bethel Auto Sales
Rt. 2, Bethel

Have a Safe & Happy Holiday

There's no telling who you'll run into, so keep your eyes open, and enjoy! Thank so much for choosing us.

Bethel Chiropractic
Main Street, Bethel
824-3899

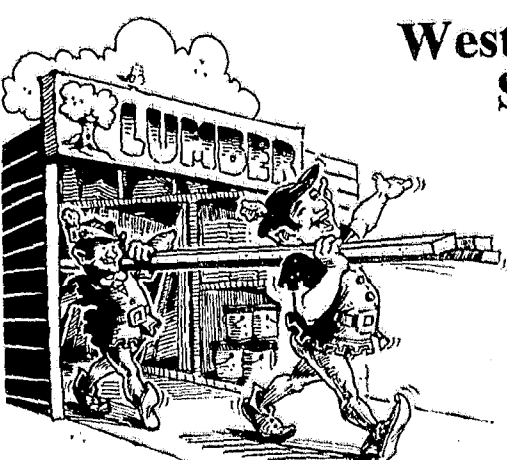
Joseph DeMarco, D.C.
DeMarco Chiropractic
Congress Street, Rumford
364-3899



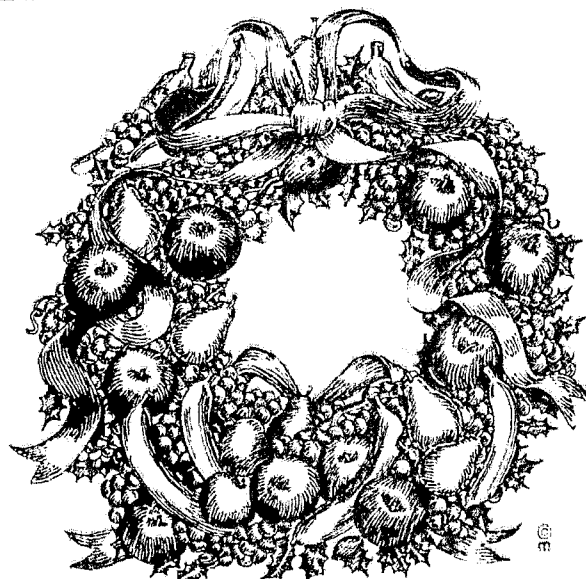
SEASON'S GREETINGS

Our good reputation is built upon service, but our success is due to good customers like you. Happy Holidays and Thanks!

Western Maine Supply



Cross Street, Bethel



Joyous Tidings

Experience all the delights that this holiday brings. You've been a delight to know and serve. Thanks, friends.

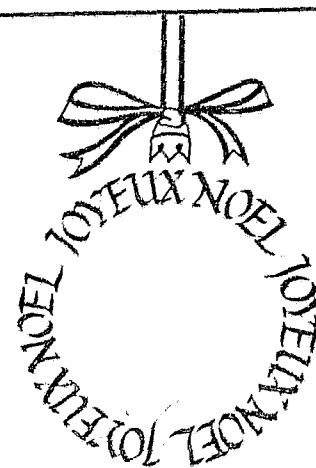
THE BETHEL SAVINGS BANK FSB

FDIC



Mills Market

Oxford County's Oldest Family-Run Store!
Main Street, Andover



Happy Holidays

May you enjoy every moment with family and friends.

Bethel Area Health Center
Railroad Street, Bethel

Jingle All The Way!

Thanks for your kind support. Have a wonderful holiday!

PCD Business Service
Bethel, Maine





LOCAL FRIENDS—Front row (from left): Nancy Watson, Aurora Watson, Emily Ecker, Rachel Ecker-Polack, Fern Hickey, Per Sandstrom, Davin Currie, Jenna Hickey, Sue Reilly, Kijsten Gustavson, Arla Patch. Standing: Kris Gustavson, Ken Hamilton, Matthew Currie, Scott Currie, Virginia Collins, Chip Gustavson, Nicky Howell, Karen Robinson, Rick Adam, Frank Howell, Darby Hickey. Not pictured: Marie Hickey, William Reilly, Robin Mello.

Oxford Hills Quaker Meeting forms

By ARLA PATCH

The Oxford Hills Worship Group has become a full-fledged Quaker Meeting (Society of Friends). Approximately 16 households are listed on the Oxford Hills Friends Meeting Directory. The local Quaker Meeting makes it's home in the H.O.P.E./Ripley House, 52 High Street, across from Moore Park, South Paris. Newcomers will be guided by the "Quaker Meeting" sign in front of the Ripley House. Friends Meeting welcomes people of any faith who wish to experience the power of two or more gathered together, seeking The Light. Meeting for worship is every Sunday, 9:30 a.m., daycare and First Day School (Sunday School) are provided for children. For further information, please call Chip Gustavson at 539-4636 or Arla Patch at 665-2224.

Oxford Hills is an unprogrammed meeting. This means that the form of worship is silent meditation, with speaking occurring from the silence as individuals are moved to speak. Quakers feel that the silence is an opportunity to "seek God's presence together" in "expectant waiting" and "to listen to the Light within." Some 50-minute meetings for worship go by in complete silence and other Sundays have several messages shared.

Although based on Christianity, the Society of Friends acknowledges that within a society there will be a diversity of beliefs, emphases and understandings. However, Quakers do adhere to some basic testimonies. First, that "there is that of God in everyone" which they call Inner Light. This central belief has led Friends throughout history to be advocates of peace, equality for all races, women's rights, and reforming prisons and mental institutions. Quakers also hold a testimony of simplicity and honesty, an emphasis on education and an understanding that religion is not a creed, or an organization, but a way of life.

Quakers are responsible for the tradition of consensus, and to this day use that in decision-making. Quakerism can be said to be a method, not a theology.

Quakerism, or the Society of Friends, has existed for over 300 years. By 1700, it was the greatest single organized religion in the colonies. Although Quakers are firmly rooted in Maine and deeply embedded in its history, Friends Meetings are not always visible. Friends' Meetinghouses are few and far between in Maine. Many Quaker Meetings use libraries, conference centers, inns, other churches, banks, daycare centers and private homes for their weekly worship gatherings. Although not apparent to many people, Quakerism is alive, well and thriving in the Oxford Hills area.

Over ten years ago a Quaker couple and several other people started meeting for worship together on the second floor of the Casco Bank in Market Square in South Paris. As the closest established Friends Meeting was in Lewiston, these Friends in South Paris were called the Oxford Hills a Worship Group under the care of Lewiston Meeting. Ten years later, after having met at the Key Bank in Norway, in private homes, and the Norway Children's Center, the Worship Group has found a home at the H.O.P.E./Ripley Center, 52 High Street, South Paris. Friends Meeting for worship has taken place every Sunday morning at 9:30 for three-and-a-half years at this location, only two blocks from the original meeting place in Market Square. Last spring, the Oxford Hills Worship Group wrote a letter of intention to become a full-fledged Friends Meeting to New England Yearly Meeting, their parent organization. After a process Quakers call "clearness," the Worship Group became Oxford Hills Friends Meeting in April. As an official Meeting, Oxford Hills can now accept membership and provide support for marriage.

Andover

By KAREN MCKAY

Thirteen members of the East Andover Community Club held their Christmas-Luncheon-Meeting at the home of Dottie Arsenault, with Evelyn Bell assisting.

President Barbara Meisner opened the meeting by reading "The Drummer Boy." Reports were read and accepted.

It was voted to give a sum of money to the Andover Educational Fund. Superintendent Marjorie Stinson, of the Calvary Congregational Church, thanked the club for its yearly donation. She reported there were 60 children enrolled in Sunday School.

The annual reports were read by the secretary, Dottie Arsenault. She reported that she had sent out 27 birthday cards to community residents 70 and over; nine get-well cards; 10 sympathy cards; three birth congratulations; one welcome card and one wedding card. There are 15 members and two honorary members over 80 in the club.

Treasurer Violet Swain reported that during 1993 there were receipts of interest, birthday money, two secret auctions and dues.

Disbursements included money to two local churches, Andover-Telstar Senior Award and the Andover Service Circle. Gifts were delivered to three babies born since the parents moved to East Andover. Also, gift certificates, flowers, fruit plates and secretarial supplies were purchased.

The hostess' list was compiled. Meetings are at 11:30 the second Monday of each month except January and July.

Entertaining will be: Feb. 14--Dolly Jones and Evelyn Bell; March 14--Dottie Arsenault and Violet Swain; April 11--Gienna Allen and Lorena Simmons; May 9--Mary Bailey and Phyllis Farrar; June 13--Marge Stinson and Joan Carney; Aug. 8--picnic; Sept. 12--banquet; Oct. 10, Beatrice Schneider and Betty Moore; Nov. 14--Charlotte Sennett and Lila Farrington; Dec. 12, Barbara Meisner and Lorena Simmons.

Beatrice Schneider won the door prize. Dues were paid.

The meeting closed and Mystery Sisters were revealed, with a gift, and new names drawn.

A special birthday cake was served in honor of Violet Swain's birthday that day. Others having December birthdays were: Mrs. Bell, Mrs. Simmons, Mrs. Schneider, Mrs. Carney and Miss Schneider.

A delicious potluck luncheon was served at noon.

The next meeting will be Feb. 14.

The Snow Valley Snow Goers invite you to celebrate the New Year with them at a New Year's Eve dance to be held at the Town Hall on Friday night, Dec. 31. The band "Blood Relation" will be playing. Tickets are available at local stores, at Davis Florist in Rumford, and at the door the night of the dance.

PFC Thomas Carney of Fort Benning, Ga., is spending the holidays visiting his mother, Joan, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stinson. Also visiting the Stinsons are Perry Stinson of Frankfurt, Germany, and son Keir and daughter Rachel of Windham.

Mr. Kim Bowes of Worcester, Mass., was recently in town visiting with her parents, Jeanette and Arthur Hutchins.

The Town Highway Crew would like to give their thanks to Mr. and Mrs. David Gallant and family for their annual donation of snacks to the crew.

Hoping everyone has a happy and healthy New Year.

East Bethel

By NANCY MERCER

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Hollman of East Peru recently visited Charlie and Polly Smith.

Dana and Millie Jackson had Christmas dinner with Robert and Lorie Jewell.

Melvin Olson has had more tests and nothing more was found. He is doing well.

Denise Coolidge and her friend Danny O'Leary came home from UMO on Dec. 23.

Stan Wilson's children, Alan and Laurie, and Laurie's husband and all Stan's grandchildren were all at his and Esther's home for a Christmas get-together on Dec. 22.

A Happy New Year to all!

Bryant Pond

By ALICE HOYT

The Woodstock Senior Citizens will meet at the Town Conference Room on Jan. 6 with a potluck dinner and program with Lynda Haegle from Community Concepts. Please bring your own dishes and silverware plus a dish to pass.

The Historical Museum contains the keepsakes of the community and makes scenes from the past come alive. Members of the Historical society covet your support and interest. The next meeting will be Jan. 8 and Sheriff Herrick will be the speaker, talking about History of the Sheriff's Dept. and History of the Sheriff. All are welcome to attend. The Historical Society examines

time as a whole.

Franklin Grange No. 124 met on Monday, Dec. 20, for a regular meeting and Christmas party. Thirty-two members and two visitors attended. Paul Billings was presented his 25-year certificate and Wilma Day and Richard Felt were presented their 55-year certificates. The Hall was beautifully decorated by lecturer Anna Swan, who also made gifts and favors for everyone. The program was as follows: opening song by all; opening thought by Anna; Lettie Brooks, Peggy Blake and Bertha Benoit sang several Christmas carols; Harry Boyer sang a couple songs; Althea Fish played a piano solo; a candlelight tableau about the birth of the Christ child was done by Laura Hutchins, Pam Moody, Betty Kerr, Roberta Ramey, Olive Risko, Peggy Blake, Linsey Moody, Wilma Day, Madelyn Purington; Bertha Benoit sang a song; a game, Name the Christmas Song was played; The Grange Band played while Christmas cards and gifts were given out. A birthday cake was presented to Florence Gustafson. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be Jan. 17.

Every Tuesday at 4 p.m. is Bryant Pond hour on the Channel IV TV.

Wishing everyone a Happy and Healthy New Year.

North Newry

By GIL SEELEY

Five members of the "Newry Bowling Gang" were at the Oxford Lanes, Rumford, last week. They were: Karlene Bachelder, Betsy Clark, Gil Seeley, Bea Lowell and Doris Parent. Of the "Lefties," Betsy was high on the triples and singles with one string of 103. Of the "Righties," Bea was high on the triples and singles. Betsy had six spares, Karlene had one spare, Gil had two spares, Bea had three spares and Doris had one spare.

"Retta" Berry (Dec. 26) and Brad Wight (Dec. 27) were given a double birthday party on Dec. 26 at the home of their parents, John and Nancy Wight.

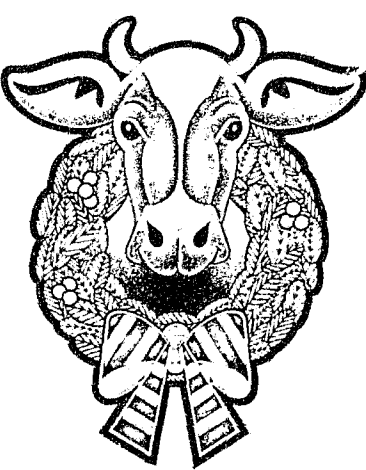
No other news for this week. Stay tuned for next week.

BEST WISHES FOR A HAPPY NEW YEAR.

"Hope ever urges on, and tells us tomorrow will be better..."

Hot news tip?

Call 824-2444



Happy New Year!

Mountain Side Country Crafts

Sunday River Rd • Bethel



*Let It Snow,
Let It Snow,
Let It Snow*

We'd like to thank you all and wish each of you a delightful holiday.

The Bethel Citizen



WE'LL WISHES FROM OUR ENTIRE STAFF

May you and your loved ones be blessed with happiness and good health the whole year through. We're so very glad to know good people like you!

Rumford Community Hospital

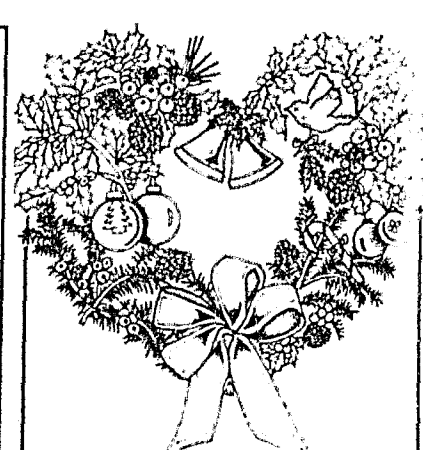


To A Great Year

Celebrate safely and enjoy the New Year.

From **The Big Apple**

& **Ripley & Fletcher Heating Oil**



*We wish you a
Happy New Year
filled with love.*



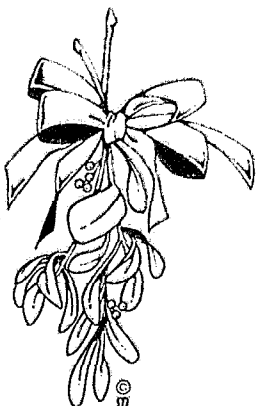
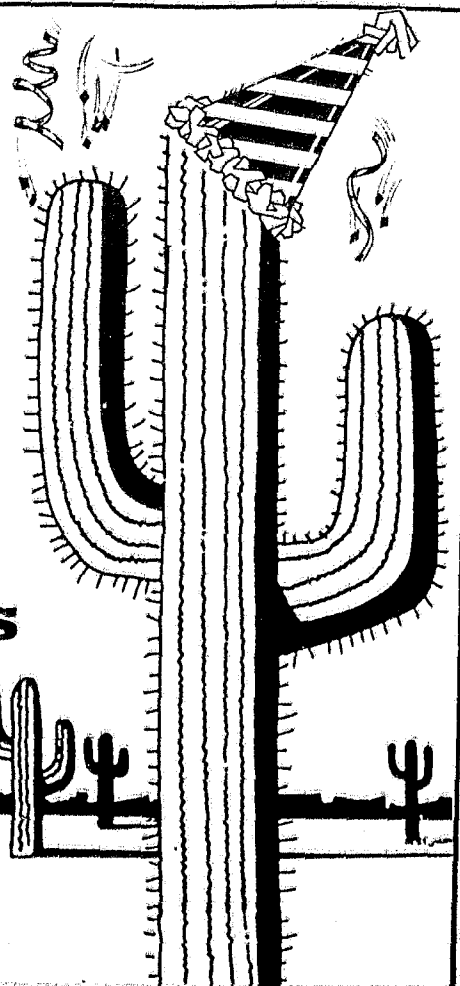
*On The Common
Bethel, Maine*

HAPPY NEW YEAR!

'Tis the season to express our thanks for your friendship and support. Happy New Year, friends.

Cisco & Ponchos

Mountain View Mall
Bethel



Season's Greetings

Thanks ever so much for your kind support.

**Ralph Merrill
Plumbing & Septic Tank Pumping**
Bethel, Maine

DECK THE HALLS!



May your gladness know no bounds on this joyous occasion.

R.A. Douglass, Inc
Bethel, Maine

Seasons Greetings



**The Bethel Inn
Country Club**
Maine

800-654-0125 • 207-824-2175

East Stoneham

By ELEANOR NELSON

Last Thursday was the Christmas potluck supper and community Christmas tree here in town. I didn't get to go to this but expect that Santa made a visit and distributed gifts to the children of town as he usually does.

Grace Nelson spent the day Sunday at Sweden with her relatives.

Winfield Adams is at home recovering from an operation on his hand, which has been bothering him for quite some time.

Gladys Kilgore was without water last week for a couple of days but has gotten the problem fixed by Carleton Barker and Marcel Longpre.

On Tuesday, Dec. 21, a committee of volunteers met at the home of Mary Grover and put together Christmas boxes and baskets for the shut-ins, etc. What a snowy, rainy day it was and a good night for a hot, homemade beef stew with dumplings. (I bet there's a lot of people who don't know what dumplings are!)

Roy Johnson Sr. is at his home now after being in Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway. Welcome home, Roy.

On last Saturday evening about 51 people gathered together and went around town singing Christmas songs at people's homes. They even sang to us, which was real nice. Afterward they returned to the home of Albert and Carole Nelson for hot cocoa and coffee and snacks.

On Tuesday, there was no school in the local schools here on account of bad weather. There is at least a little bit of snow on the ground, and it looks like cold days ahead will keep it there.

Greenwood City

By COLISTA MORGAN

One afternoon recently I looked across the pond and noticed that the shadows had begun to fall.

Above, the sky was spectacular as it shifted into magical afterglow of gold, blue and crimson. I was looking at a sunset marking the close of another day.

As I watched, pale purple appeared, changed, and bit by bit this brilliant world of splendor faded and slowly, over all, twilight fell, leaving a mighty world of shadows.

The hills rose almost to the dignity of mountains and possessed a romantic beauty crowned with forest trees, hiding rich and secluded spots. All was so picturesque with primal silence.

Soon the stars came slowly into

sight while child-clouds rode the horizon. The trees were untouched by a breeze and the evening as still as a moonbeam.

Soon came dusk, the starlight and the moon in cold beauty, rising and looking more and more brittle. It seemed as if a light tap would shatter it to pieces.

The winter sky! How different from the summer months, when the trees and hills are edged with leaves. Now there are no boundaries and the sky is endless.

The scattering of bright stars twinkling through the branches was trying hard to pierce the forest gloom.

Mental strain and stress retreated into the background. Physical fatigue was dissipated. I scanned the world, noted the distant hills, and found enjoyment in the scene. The reward, pleasure, was great, for the moment, and that was all that mattered, a lovely closing to a day.

Winter entered with all the kinds of weather we can expect in the coming months, rain, sleet, snow and slippery roads.

The singers of Christmas carols who visit us each year came on Dec. 19. We enjoy their visits.

I have received some over one-hundred Christmas cards and I have looked them over and over again.

Pay and I visited our cousin, Sylvia Cummings in South Paris one day this week.

My brother Ernest is now at Clover Manor in Auburn.

Evelyn Heikinen and a friend of Mexico visited me one day this week.

John and Dorothy Belts entertained at a Christmas dinner on Wednesday, Dec. 22. Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Leonas Holt, Ann Holt, Sally and Mary Holt and Colista Morgan. On Dec. 19 they had their children and their families for their Christmas tree and dinner.

Gilead

By LOUISE LORING

It is our delight as we walk in the forest, or drive beneath snow-laden winter birches, bending over a winding avenue, to gaze from one end of the long vista to the other.

So it is as we turn about and look backwards down the long aisles of our years.

There are many bending branches that are sorrow laden, tear laden and dark.

But in a surprising number, the sunlight filters through, birds nest in their branches, and there is much joy and singing.

So therefore, there will be ahead

of us, as so often in the past, many bright tomorrows.

Life is not over because of some tempest or sadness -- therein lie seeds of new beginnings.

Be of good courage, and as we turn another corner down that long, winding avenue and bid goodbye to 1993, we see a new, clear road before us -- a new beginning -- a new spring -- with buds unopened -- waiting to burst into bloom. We stand ready to be blessed with our new beginnings.

Happy New Year to all in 1994. Rose Taylor entertained all her children at a Christmas tree gathering on Christmas Day, joined by her son Richard and family of Seymour, Conn.

Jeremy Smith is spending part of his holidays with his father, Dale Smith and family in Albany.

Wayne Taylor returned to work some time ago and is now traveling to and from Brunswick daily.

Fernand and Beverly Corriveau co-hosted a Christmas Eve gathering for their family, followed by a Christmas tree get-together on Christmas morning.

Josie Greenwood, who is in San Diego with her brother, is doing well and sends her best wishes to everyone. Her brother is out of the hospital and home now, but Josie will probably remain there until late February or early March.

On the first day of winter last week, we were treated to all the elements in Mother Nature's bag of tricks. Starting out with about four inches of wet, heavy snow, it gradually turned to sleet, then periods of heavy rain and winds. We are now receding in the length of time of darkness vs light, gaining about two seconds a day of light. To keep our mood elevated, it is recommended to sit under bright lights and exercise. Keep cabin fever away by trying out these few simple rules.

Ed and Peggy Rice had the misfortune of losing their transportation last week at the iron bridge, but no one involved in the accident was hurt or injured. Peggy has managed to get back and forth to work via the kindness of her co-workers and wishes to thank each and every one of them.

The community was saddened again by the tragic accident in West Bethel, and our sincerest sympathies and prayers go out from the bottom of our hearts to the Haines' family.

Rosaire and Winnoa Corriveau attended midnight mass, and on Christmas Day were joined by their children at their home here.

Robert Noyes and boys Todd and Jim have employment at Sunday River for the season. The Noyes'

family spent the Holiday quietly at home.

The Frank Murphys spent their Holidays with Frank and Elaine Borowskis and children Melissa and Matthew in Gorham, N.H.

Call me at 836-3673 with your news, please. Thanks.

Elderwood Manor

By FLORENCE HALL

Anne Fox and Gertrude Hutchins went on the bus to Rumford on Wednesday and enjoyed Christmas dinner and entertainment at the Senior Citizen Center.

Louise Powell, Hale and Bernice Wing, Dixfield visited Alma Hewey on Thursday.

Alfred Marston, daughter Tiffanie and son Christopher, Portland, visited with Aunt Florence over the weekend. They attended the Candlelight Service at the church on Christmas Eve.

Norman and Julie White were with Sandy and Wayne Delano on Christmas Day.

Mr. Cherry helped Norman White drive to Togus for a doctor's appointment on Thursday.

Thought of the day: To you and those you love all the blessings of this beautiful season. Have a blessed Christmas.

So. Woodstock

By ANDREA WING

It is a cold day here in Pinhook, and by the time you read this column Christmas will have come and gone. The beauty of nature is all around us, and the spirit of the season is at its peak.

Alison Chapman said her good-byes to the family this evening. She has spent the past week and a half here in her home town, and now is set to go back to Washington. I am glad to report that she is doing well.

On Friday, Dec. 17, Norma Davis went shopping in New Hampshire with Ruth Hebert and Ruth's mother, Dottie. They had dinner at Kentucky Fried Chicken and enjoyed a nice day.

On Saturday, Dec. 18, Rob and Norma's daughter Carol and her friend Dana paid a visit to Pinhook. The family celebrated both Carol and Norma's birthdays. On Monday, Dec. 20, Rob and Norma celebrated their granddaughter Mandy's birthday at her home.

On Sunday, Dec. 19, the Billings' family celebrated Christmas at Louise Chapman's house. Guests included Lee and Emma Billings, Tony and Sue Silver with children Joelle and Errol, Mac, Tammy,

Shane, Jason, and Bridget Billings, and Scott Frase. Also there were Sarah, Alison, and Alan Chapman. Gifts were exchanged and refreshments served. Linda Tyler brought over her gifts in the morning and left early because she was afraid of getting caught in the storm.

That's all the news for this week. As we say goodbye to 1993, I have only good wishes for everyone. I will talk to you again in 1994 and, until then, I hope you are all safe and happy.

Upton

By ARLINE BERNIER

The community Christmas tree was held at the Ladies Aid building Saturday, Dec. 18. It was preceded by a supper served by the Ladies Aid to the community citizens and a program presented by Laurie Brown. Amy Geiling led some carol singing, Lucille Largesse had games, and the children had a puppet show which they'd written and learned. The younger children had recitations.

The town has purchased a new sander and has hired Horace Goodrum to load it.

The Berniers observed Christmas at Heritage Farm on Sunday with the Roger Berniers of Barton, Vt., Lou and Ellen of North Waterford, Joe Bernier and family of Lovell, the Browns and Ray and Violette Bernier of Upton.

High Street

West Paris

By RUSSELL YATES

Howdy Folks: The Weather Man just said that skies were clear this morning, but it is completely cloudy here and there has got to be a drastic change, if we see any sunshine this Monday morning. Anyway, the news must go, so I'd better get busy, even if the skies are cloudy.

Last Monday evening, Peggy and I were invited up to Bertha Benoit's in West Paris for supper and the evening. We went and what an elegant supper we did have. She served us a ham supper with all of the fixings and was it all ever good. We really enjoyed the supper and evening.

The telephone repair man came on Tuesday morning to install a new telephone jack that Peggy needed to plug her computer into for some of her reporting. We went down street for shopping after that and soon after we returned, Peggy's daughter, Loretta Merrill, called to pick up some Christmas decorations that Peggy had found for her. She had to

be back in Bethel at 12:30, so she didn't have time for lunch with us. After dinner, we had to go down street again, as I had an appointment with Dr. Ware and didn't want to miss it.

The next day was another busy day. We visited with Richard Felt in the forenoon, and that always takes time. We came back home, had an early lunch and then were on our way to Auburn and Lewiston. We shopped at a couple stores for more Christmas presents and then visited Viva at the Odd Fellows Home. We found her downstairs playing beano, but she was having an off day and didn't care whether she played or not, so she stopped and we went to her room to visit. She was not quite her old self but nothing too serious was happening.

It was cold Thursday morning with a good, stiff breeze, but Peggy did a load of laundry and hung it outside where it dried beautifully. After that, we installed a folding shelf by the touch tone telephone. She needed this to lay her book on when doing some of her reporting. This new computer system that she has to use in her card work required a lot of changes, but I hope that we've finally got them all done.

Thursday evening, we went to West Paris Grange. This was their Christmas meeting with an open meeting, but I filled in as steward for the presenting of the flag. In the program, I read "The Night Before Christmas," and one had to use their imagination, but sister Peggy, Bertha Benoit and Anna Swan were the three small children gathered around while I did the reading.

There will be a New Year's Eve dance at Locke Mills Town Hall with music by the Richard Felt Orchestra.

There will not be a dance at West Paris Grange Hall on Jan. 1, because of the New Year's dance at Locke Mills being so near the same time.

Mary Lovejoy called on Tammy Farnum in Bryant Pond on Friday. She also made a door yard call on Evelyn Seames, leaving her pocket-book that she had left at the dance.

Saturday evening, Mary Lovejoy and others attended the Christmas party at Rumford Grange. They had received a special invitation.

Herbert Stevens, a member of West Paris Grange, is in Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Recently, Mary Lovejoy attended a concert at the Junior High School in South Paris. A daughter, Faith, was in the program.

Sunday, the Lovejoy children were in a program at the Mission Congregational Church. Tonight is a concert at the Agnes Gray School.

Holiday Greetings

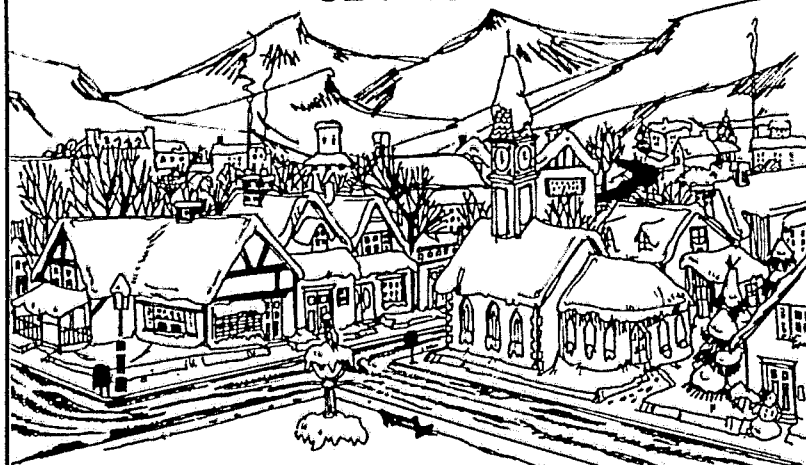
to the Best Neighbors in the World

We thank you all for the gift of your friendship and trust.

Creative
Management Associates

Corner of Main & Vernon Streets
Bethel

824-4044




A Sparkling Season to All!

Thanks and happy holiday.




Market Place PHARMACY

Home Sweet Home

As the season of celebration approaches, we'd like to extend our warmest wishes to all our good neighbors. We're proud to be part of this fine community.

Mahoosuc Realty, Inc.
Corner of
Main & Vernon Streets
824-2771




Wishing You A Happy New Year!

In the spirit of peace and joy, we offer greetings and thanks to each of you.



KEENAN COMPANY
Main Street, Bethel & Mt. Abram




Ring In A Really Great Holiday

We wish you all the blessings of the season. It's been a delight doing business with you.

Bob's Corner Store
Locke Mills

Thanks, Friends!




Hoping your holiday's a real hoot!

From the employees of


Brown's Mobil
Bethel, Maine

We can offer blanket protection for all your insurance needs.



Kendall Insurance, Inc.
"The Service Agency"

15 Church Street
Bethel, Me 04217
(207) 824-2178



HAVE A HAPPY NEW YEAR!

Linda's Country Flair
West, Bethel
836-3929




We often meet by accident, but we're always glad to know you're there.

Thanks and Happy New Year

Bailey's Body Works
Vernon St., Bethel

BERLIN CITY DEALERSHIPS

WORK TO SAVE YOU MONEY!

OVER 600 NEW AND USED CARS AND TRUCKS IN STOCK
- OR INCOMING - FOR IMMEDIATE DELIVERY
ALL PRICES CHEERFULLY QUOTED OVER THE PHONE
(603) 752-6644 or 1-800-998-6968

Sunday 12-5 6.9% 48 mos. financing on new cars available for qualified buyers

Open
7 days

FORD LINCOLN MERC

NEW 1993 FORD RANGER SPLASH 4x2

Original MSRP \$14,711
MFG Discount \$251
Berlin City Dis \$400
Down
\$11,999
\$242.72 mo.

NEW 1993 FORD MARK III CONVERSION VAN

Original MSRP \$25,530
MFG Discount \$1,100
Berlin City Dis \$631
Rebate \$1,000
Down
\$16,999
\$343.86 mo.

NEW 1994 MERCURY GRAND MARQUIS GS

Original MSRP \$21,605
MFG Discount \$1,615
Berlin City Dis \$951
Down
\$18,639
\$377.04 mo.

NEW 1993 FORD T-BIRD SUPER COUPE

Original MSRP \$24,383
MFG Discount \$1,402
Berlin City Dis \$3,882
Down
\$18,699
\$378.25 mo.

NEW LINCOLN TOWN CAR SIGNATURE

Original MSRP \$36,886
MFG Discount \$1,787
Berlin City Dis \$2,000
Down
\$27,699
\$560.31 mo.

BERLIN CITY
FORD

DODGE

NEW 1993 EAGLE SUMMIT DL WAGON

Original MSRP \$14,500
MFG Rebate \$500
Berlin City Dis \$705
Rebate \$500
Down
\$12,395
\$250.73 mo.

NEW 1994 DODGE CARAVAN

Original MSRP \$16,876
MFG Rebate \$1,224
Berlin City Dis \$500
Rebate \$400
Down
\$15,895
\$321.53 mo.

NEW 1994 DODGE DAKOTA SPORT 4x4

Original MSRP \$16,601
Berlin City Dis \$588
Down
\$15,813
\$319.87 mo.

NEW 1994 RAM 2500 ST 4x4

Original MSRP \$27,235
Berlin City Dis \$1,618
Down
\$25,217
\$510.10 mo.

NEW 1994 DODGE DAKOTA

Original MSRP \$16,601
Berlin City Dis \$588
Down
\$15,813
\$319.87 mo.

BERLIN CITY
DODGE/JEEP

MAZDA

NEW 1994 MAZDA PROTEGE DX

Original MSRP \$11,735
Berlin City Dis \$800
Rebate \$400
Down
\$9,895
\$200.16 mo.

NEW 1994 MAZDA 626 DX

Original MSRP \$14,720
Berlin City Dis \$825
Down
\$13,495
\$272.98 mo.

NEW 1994 MAZDA B2300 4x2

Original MSRP \$9,850
Berlin City Dis \$555
Down
\$8,895
\$179.93 mo.

NEW 1994 MAZDA B4000 SE 4x4

Original MSRP \$16,665
Berlin City Dis \$1,516
Down
\$13,749
\$278.12 mo.

NEW 1994 MAZDA B4000 SE 4x4

Original MSRP \$16,665
Berlin City Dis \$1,516
Down
\$13,749
\$278.12 mo.

BERLIN CITY
MAZDA

TOYOTA

NEW 1994 TOYOTA CAMRY LE

Original MSRP \$22,033
Berlin City Dis \$2,438
Down
\$19,195
\$388.28 mo.

NEW 1994 TOYOTA LAND CRUISER 4x4

Original MSRP \$41,631
Berlin City Dis \$2,000
Down
\$39,631
\$792.62 mo.

NEW 1994 TOYOTA DLX 4x4

Original MSRP \$16,910
Berlin City Dis \$2,067
Down
\$12,895
\$260.84 mo.

NEW 1994 TOYOTA X-CAB DLX 4x4

Original MSRP \$18,437
Berlin City Dis \$1,500
Down
\$15,195
\$307.37 mo.

NEW 1994 TOYOTA X-CAB DLX 4x4

Original MSRP \$18,437
Berlin City Dis \$1,500
Down
\$15,195
\$307.37 mo.

BERLIN CITY
TOYOTA

WITH
\$800
DOWN

QUALITY PRE-OWNED VEHICLES

NO CREDIT or POOR CREDIT

Your Job Is Your Credit • Bankruptcy or Repo No Problem
• No Co-Signer Required • Re-Establish Your Credit

We have a finance plan that will get you
behind the wheel of a NEW or USED CAR or TRUCK

Call toll free - ask for Donna, Jerry or Paul - 1-800-795-CHEV or 603-752-3700

1993 GEO STORM	\$179.96 mo.	\$9,290
1991 JEEP WRANGLER 4x4	\$216.63 mo.	\$8,890
1992 FORD FESTIVA GL	\$131.55 mo.	\$6,395
1991 CHEVY CAVALIER	\$151.69 mo.	\$6,465
1993 DODGE RAM 2500 MARK III CONVERSION VAN	\$315.97 mo.	\$12,600

SPECIAL Purchase Blowout

1993 MERCURY TRACER	was \$9,995	\$182.28 mo.	\$9,399
1993 FORD TEMPO GL	was \$10,500	\$192.87 mo.	\$9,899
1993 MERCURY SABLE	was \$15,500	\$300.98 mo.	\$14,999
1993 FORD TAURUS GL	was \$15,500	\$322.10 mo.	\$15,995
1993 FORD MUSTANG CONVERTIBLE	was \$12,500	\$250.11 mo.	\$12,599
1993 CHRYSLER NEW YORKER	was \$18,995	\$340.71 mo.	\$16,873
1993 CHRYSLER NEW YORKER	was \$18,995	\$336.04 mo.	\$16,653
1993 DODGE DYNASTY	was \$17,995	\$258.50 mo.	\$12,995
1993 DODGE DYNASTY	was \$17,995	\$255.58 mo.	\$12,857
1993 PLYMOUTH ACCLAIM	was \$12,995	\$213.14 mo.	\$10,855

TRUCK BLOW OUT

1989 FORD F-150 XLT 4x4	\$349.62 mo.	\$10,900
1992 GMC 1500 SIERRA 4x4	\$357.26 mo.	\$15,995
1989 FORD F150 CUSTOM 4x4	\$249.06 mo.	\$7,995
1989 FORD F150 CUSTOM 4x4	\$349.62 mo.	\$10,900

1992 FORD F150 XLT X-CAB 4x4	\$390.30 mo.	\$17,400
1988 FORD F250 XLT X-CAB 4x4	\$332.82 mo.	\$8,995
1990 FORD F150 XL 4x4	\$265.79 mo.	\$9,600
1988 CHEVY 1500 SILVERADO 4x4	\$387.81 mo.	\$10,595
1988 CHEVY 1500 SCOTTSDALE 4x4	\$367.55 mo.	\$9,850
1991 FORD F150 XLT LARIAT 4x4	\$391.69 mo.	\$14,900
1987 DODGE DAKOTA 4x4	\$207.20 mo.	\$4,995
1989 DODGE DAKOTA 4x4	\$214.44 mo.	6,995
1987 FORD F150 4x4	\$350.45 mo.	7,895
1992 TOYOTA 4x4	\$239.70 mo.	\$10,995
1992 TOYOTA X-CAB 4x4	\$308.01 mo.	\$13,900
1991 CHEVY S10 4x4	\$246.22 mo.	\$9,995
1993 FORD F150 X-CAB XL	\$330.58 mo.	\$16,395
1989 FORD F250 XL 4x4	\$361.74 mo.	\$11,250
1992 FORD F150 XLT 4x4	\$324.47 mo.	\$14,600
1991 FORD F150 XLT LARIAT 4x4	\$353.33 mo.	\$13,995
1992 FORD F150 CUSTOM 4x4	\$310.24 mo.	\$13,995
1990 FORD F150 XLT LARIAT X-CAB	\$277.72 mo.	\$9,995
1991 FORD F150 XL 4x4	\$339.94 mo.	\$13,495
1988 CHEVY 1500 CHEYENNE 4x4	\$351.30 mo.	\$9,450
1986 FORD F250 XL 4x4	\$408.17 mo.	\$7,250
1993 FORD F150 X-CAB XLT 4x4	\$364.49 mo.	\$17,995
1988 CHEVY 2500 SCOTTSDALE 4x4	\$410.19 mo.	\$10,900

All Purchase Price & Payments Exclude Tax, Title & DOC Fee. All Loans Subject To Bank Approval.
Berlin City does not charge for dealer prep. Photos may vary. Dealer not responsible for typographical errors.

SALES AND INCENTIVES END JANUARY 8, 1994

NAME OF CAR	SALE PRICE	DOWN PMT	AMT. FIN.	INTEREST COST	PRICE & APR TERM	NAME OF CAR	SALE PRICE	DOWN PMT	AMT. FIN.	INTEREST COST	PRICE & APR TERM
1993 Ford Ranger 4x2 Splash	\$12,339	\$400	\$11,999	\$2,564	\$11,563 7.9% 60	1991 Chevy Cavalier	\$8,665	\$800	\$5,665	\$1,616	\$7,281 12.9% 48
1993 Ford Mark III Conversion Van	\$17,099	\$400	\$16,699	\$3,632	\$20,631 7.9% 60	1993 Dodge Spirit	\$11,450	\$800	\$10,650	\$2,856	\$10,545 9.9% 60
1994 Mercury Grand Marquis GS	\$19,039	\$400	\$18,639	\$3,983	\$22,822 7.9% 60	1991 Dodge Ram 2500 Mark III Conv. Van	\$11,800	\$800	\$11,000	\$3,366	\$15,156 12.9% 48
1993 Ford T-Bird Super Coupe	\$19,099	\$400	\$18,699	\$3,996	\$22,833 7.9% 60	1993 Mercury Tracer	\$9,399	\$800	\$8,599	\$2,327	\$10,396 9.9% 60
1993 Lincoln Town Car Signature	\$28,099	\$400	\$27,699	\$5,919	\$33,616 7.9% 60	1993 Ford Tempo GL	\$9,899	\$800	\$9,099	\$2,473	\$11,572 9.9% 60
1993 Eagle Summit DL Wagon	\$16,299	\$400	\$15,899	\$3,540	\$19,439 7.9% 60	1993 Mercury Sable	\$14,159	\$800	\$13,359	\$3,653	\$18,158 9.9% 60
1994 Dodge Caravan	\$16,299	\$400	\$15,899	\$3,540	\$19,439 7.9% 60	1993 Ford Taurus GL	\$15,995	\$800	\$15,195	\$4,131	\$19,236 9.9% 60
1994 Dodge Dakota Sport 4x4	\$16,219	\$400	\$15,819	\$3,379	\$19,192 7.9% 60	1993 Ford Mustang Convertible	\$12,599	\$800	\$11,799	\$3,207	\$15,006 9.9% 60
1994 Ram 2500 ST 4x4	\$25,617	\$400	\$25,217	\$5,389	\$30,606 7.9% 60	1993 Chrysler New Yorker	\$16,873	\$800	\$16,073	\$4,369	\$20,442 9.9% 60
1994 Mazda Protege DX	\$12,295	\$400	\$11,895	\$2,114	\$11,902 7.9% 60	1993 Dodge Dynasty	\$12,995	\$800	\$12,195	\$3,315	\$15,510 9.9% 60
1994 Mazda 626 DX	\$13,895	\$400	\$13,495	\$2,893	\$16,378 7.9% 60	1993 Plymouth Acclaim	\$12,857	\$800	\$12,057	\$3,277	\$15,334 9.9% 60
1994 Mazda 6400 SE 4x4	\$23,295	\$400	\$22,895	\$5,183	\$28,078 7.9% 60	1993 Ford F150 XLT 4x4	\$10,655	\$800	\$9,855	\$2,733	\$12,788 9.9% 60
1994 Toyota Camry LE	\$19,195	\$400	\$18,795	\$4,101	\$22,296 7.9% 60	1992 GMC 1500 Sierra 4x4	\$10,900	\$800	\$10,100	\$2,486	\$12,586 14.9% 36
1994 Toyota DLX 4x4	\$12,895	\$400	\$12,495	\$2,755	\$15,560 7.9% 60	1989 Ford F150 Custom 4x4	\$7,995	\$800	\$7,195	\$1,771	\$8,966 14.9% 36
1994 Toyota X-Cab DLX 4x4	\$15,195	\$400	\$14,795	\$3,247	\$18,442 7.9% 60	1993 Ford F150 Custom 4x4	\$10,900	\$800	\$10,100	\$2,486	\$12,586 14.9% 36
1993 GEO Storm	\$9,290	\$800	\$8,490	\$2,307	\$10,797 9.9% 60	1992 Ford F150 XLT 4x4	\$17,400	\$800	\$16,600	\$4,078	\$20,178 9.9% 60
1991 Jeep Wrangler 4x4	\$8,890	\$800	\$8,090	\$2,308	\$10,398 12.9% 48	1993 Ford F250 XLT 4x4	\$8,995	\$800	\$8,195	\$2,178	\$9,964 15.9% 30
1992 Ford Festiva GL	\$6,395	\$800	\$5,595	\$1,508	\$7,103 10.9% 54	1990 Ford F150 XL 4x4	\$9,600	\$800	\$8,800	\$2,363	\$11,163 13.9% 42

BERLIN CITY DEALERSHIPS

FORD • LINCOLN • MERCURY • DODGE • JEEP EAGLE • MAZDA • TOYOTA

Located at the base of Mt. Washington on the Berlin/Gorham Rd. • Rt. 16, N.H.

603-752-6644

OPEN SUNDAYS 12 NOON-5 PM

HOURS:

Mon.-Fri. 8 am-8 pm

Saturday 8 am-6 pm

Sunday 12 noon-5 pm

BERLIN CITY/LAROCHE **CHEVROLET BUICK GEO**

Berlin City/LaRoche Chevrolet, Buick, Geo is located 1/2 mile north of Berlin City Ford
Sunday 12-5 *THREE MONTHS DEFERRED PAYMENTS TO QUALIFIED BUYERS*

CHEVROLET

NEW 1994 CHEVY CAVALIER VL COUPE



Original MSRP \$9,490
 Berlin City Dis. -120
 Rebate -500
 First Time Buyer -300
 Down -400
\$8,170
\$165.26 mo.

NEW 1994 CHEVY S10 LS 4x2



Original MSRP \$11,923
 MFG Discount -248
 Berlin City Dis. -131
 First Time Buyer -300
 Down -400
\$9,844
\$199.13 mo.

NEW CHEVY K1500 SILVERADO EXT. CAB 4x4



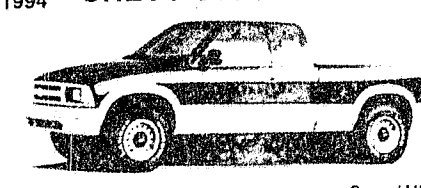
Original MSRP \$23,932
 MFG Discount -1,400
 Berlin City Dis. -1,928
 Down -400
\$20,204
\$408.69 mo.

NEW 1994 CHEVY CAVALIER VL



Original MSRP \$11,935
 Berlin City Dis. -425
 Rebate -500
 First Time Buyer -300
 Down -400
\$10,310
\$208.55 mo.

NEW 1994 CHEVY S10 EXT. CAB LS 4x4



Original MSRP \$18,885
 MFG Discount -200
 Berlin City Dis. -1,693
 First Time Buyer -300
 Down -400
\$16,212
\$327.94 mo.

NEW 1994 CHEVY LUMINA MINIVAN



MSRP \$24,553
 Berlin City Dis. -3,758
 Rebate -500
 Down -400
\$19,895
\$402.44 mo.

BUICK

NEW 1994 BUICK SKYLARK CUSTOM



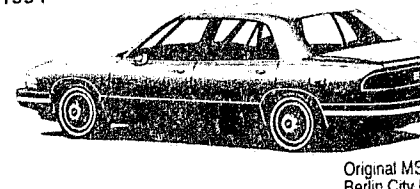
Advised Dis. Price \$14,160
 Berlin City Dis. -263
 Down -400
\$13,497
\$273.02 mo.

NEW 1994 BUICK REGAL CUSTOM



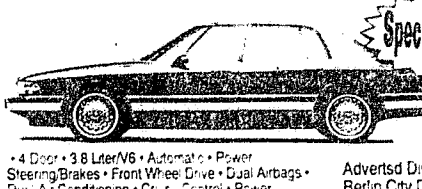
Original MSRP \$19,754
 Berlin City Dis. -1,919
 Rebate -400
 Down -400
\$16,685
\$337.51 mo.

NEW 1994 BUICK LESABRE CUSTOM



Original MSRP \$23,686
 Berlin City Dis. -2,415
 Rebate -750
 Down -400
\$20,121
\$407.01 mo.

NEW 1994 BUICK PARK AVENUE

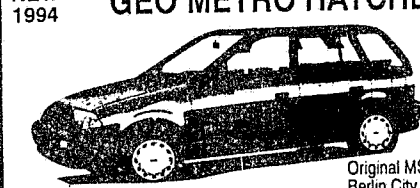


Advised Dis. Price \$25,995
 Berlin City Dis. -704
 Down -400
\$24,891
\$503.50 mo.

BERLIN CITY/LAROCHE BUICK

GEO

NEW 1994 GEO METRO HATCHBACK



Original MSRP \$8,140
 Berlin City Dis. -161
 First Time Buyer -300
 Rebate -300
 Down -400
\$6,979
\$141.17 mo.

NEW 1994 GEO TRACKER CONVERTIBLE



Original MSRP \$13,239
 Berlin City Dis. -1,020
 First Time Buyer -300
 Down -400
\$11,347
\$229.53 mo.

BERLIN CITY/LAROCHE GEO

BERLIN CITY/LAROCHE CHEVROLET

ATTENTION BUSINESS PEOPLE
 Business Owners and Business Entities Qualify for Additional Truck Discount and Incentives Valued From \$500 to \$1665. Call us for details at 1-800-795-CHEV

PRE-OWNED VEHICLES

1989 FORD TEMPO GL	\$109.21 mo.	\$3,955
1988 CHEVY CAPRICE CLASSIC	\$225.60 mo.	\$6,355
1989 CHEVY CAVALIER Z24	\$248.71 mo.	\$7,985
1984 CADILLAC ELDERADO	\$272.14 mo.	\$3,770
1992 FORD RANGER XLT	\$200.44 mo.	\$9,325
1992 GEO PRIZM	\$190.21 mo.	\$8,890
1988 BUICK REGAL CUSTOM	\$246.80 mo.	\$6,877
1991 CHEVY S10 EXT. CAB 4x2	\$242.17 mo.	\$9,844
1990 BUICK REGAL CUSTOM	\$276.97 mo.	\$9,970
1989 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX SE	\$213.82 mo.	\$6,977
1991 HONDA ACCORD LX	\$245.95 mo.	\$9,985
1991 TOYOTA COROLLA	\$217.57 mo.	\$8,925
1989 FORD BRONCO XLT 4x4	\$352.74 mo.	\$10,990
1990 CHEVY CORSA LT	\$186.96 mo.	\$6,990
1992 CHEVY LUMINA	\$237.19 mo.	\$10,888
1992 PONTIAC SUNBIRD SE	\$150.19 mo.	\$7,188
1991 CHEVY S10 BLAZER 4x4	\$279.82 mo.	\$11,250
1991 FORD ESCORT GT	\$180.59 mo.	\$7,544
1991 ISUZU RODEO 4 DOOR 4x4	\$379.63 mo.	\$14,977
1991 FORD E150 VAN	\$236.58 mo.	\$9,635

SPECIAL PURCHASE

1993 CHEVY CAVALIER RS	\$194.80 mo.	\$9,990
1992 BUICK REGAL CUSTOM	\$234.23 mo.	\$11,850
1993 CHEVY CAVALIER CLASSIC	\$299.63 mo.	\$14,935
1993 CHEVY LUMINA EURO	\$263.38 mo.	\$13,225
1993 BUICK CENTURY CUSTOM	\$237.09 mo.	\$11,985
1993 CHEVY LUMINA EURO 3.4	\$294.96 mo.	\$14,715
1993 CHEVY SPORTSIDE SILVERADO 4x4	\$382.30 mo.	\$18,835
1993 CHEVY CORSA LT	\$206.14 mo.	\$10,525
1993 DODGE SHADOW	\$173.71 mo.	\$8,995
1993 CHEVY ASTRO CL	\$303.65 mo.	\$15,125
1993 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX LE	\$244.30 mo.	\$12,325
1993 PONTIAC GRAND AM	\$216.53 mo.	\$11,015
1993 BUICK SKYLARK CUSTOM	\$214.84 mo.	\$10,935
1992 CHEVY BERETTA	\$192.68 mo.	\$8,995
1991 CHEVY CAVALIER RS WGN.	\$185.16 mo.	\$7,715
1991 PONTIAC GRAND AM	\$208.06 mo.	\$8,570
1991 BUICK SKYLARK CUSTOM	\$210.07 mo.	\$8,645
1991 FORD TEMPO GL	\$204.04 mo.	\$8,420
1991 GEO STORM WAGON	\$186.90 mo.	\$7,780
1991 PONTIAC LEMANS LE	\$155.11 mo.	\$6,630

NAME OF CAR	LIST PRICE	DOWN PMT.	AMT. FIN.	INTEREST	PRICE & INTEREST	APR	TERM	NAME OF CAR	LIST PRICE	DOWN PMT.	AMT. FIN.	INTEREST	PRICE & INTEREST	APR	TERM
1994 Chevy Cavalier VL Coupe	\$8,570	\$400	\$8,170	\$175	\$1,945	7.9%	60	1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60
1994 Chevy S10 LS 4x2	\$11,923	\$400	\$11,523	\$213	\$1,947	7.9%	60	1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60
1994 Chevy K1500 Silverado Extended Cab 4x4	\$23,932	\$400	\$23,532	\$417	\$2,451	7.9%	60	1991 Chevy Cavalier Classic	\$19,754	\$400	\$19,354	\$395	\$3,322	9.9%	60
1994 Chevy Cavalier VL	\$11,935	\$400	\$11,535	\$213	\$1,947	7.9%	60	1991 Geo Prizm	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$385	\$3,222	9.9%	60
1994 Chevy S10 LX Extended Cab 4x4	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	7.9%	60	1991 Geo Tracker Convertible	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60
1994 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60	1991 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60
1994 Buick Lesabre Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60	1991 Ford Taurus	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60
1994 Buick Park Avenue	\$25,995	\$400	\$25,595	\$517	\$4,612	9.9%	60	1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60
1994 Geo Metro Hatchback	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60	1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60
1994 Geo Tracker Convertible 4x4	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60	1991 Pontiac Grand Prix	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60
1989 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60	1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60
1989 Ford Bronco XLT 4x4	\$24,553	\$400	\$24,153	\$457	\$4,012	9.9%	60	1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60
1990 Chevy Corsica LT	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60	1991 Ford Escort GT	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60
1992 Chevy Lumina	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60	1991 Isuzu Rodeo 4 Door 4x4	\$37,963	\$400	\$37,563	\$717	\$6,635	9.9%	60
1992 Pontiac Sunbird SE	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60								
1991 Chevy S10 Blazer 4x4	\$27,982	\$400	\$27,582	\$517	\$4,612	9.9%	60								
1991 Ford Escort GT	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60								
1991 Isuzu Rodeo 4 Door 4x4	\$37,963	\$400	\$37,563	\$717	\$6,635	9.9%	60								
1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Grand Prix	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60								
1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Grand Prix	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60								
1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Grand Prix	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60								
1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Grand Prix	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60								
1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Grand Prix	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60								
1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Grand Prix	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60								
1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Grand Prix	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60								
1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Grand Prix	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60								
1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Grand Prix	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60								
1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Grand Prix	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60								
1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Grand Prix	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60								
1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Grand Prix	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60								
1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Grand Prix	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60								
1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Grand Prix	\$18,885	\$400	\$18,485	\$317	\$2,102	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Regal Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Buick Skylark Custom	\$23,686	\$400	\$23,286	\$485	\$4,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Ford Tempo GL	\$8,140	\$400	\$7,740	\$161	\$1,340	9.9%	60								
1991 Geo Storm Wagon	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$2,422	9.9%	60								
1991 Pontiac Lemans LE	\$13,239	\$400	\$12,839	\$285	\$										

Classifieds ~ Call 824-2444

Weekend Daycare NOW AVAILABLE

Saturday - Sunday & Vacation Week • 7 AM - 6 PM
Drop-ins Welcome
Breakfast, Lunch & Snacks provided
Woodstock Day Care
Main Street
Bryant Pond, ME
665-2937

Bethel Area Health Center

Railroad Street, Bethel
824-2193 • 800-287-2292
(outside of Bethel Area)
Monday-Friday 8 am - 5 pm
Monday Eve 5 pm - 8 pm
Saturday 8 am - 12 noon
Handicapped Accessible • EOE

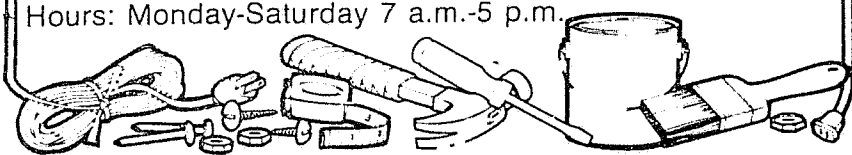
BROOKS BROS., INC.

Main Street, Bethel 824-2158

**HARDWARE • PLUMBING & HEATING
FUEL OIL**

Quality Products — Quality Service
Since 1918

Hours: Monday-Saturday 7 a.m.-5 p.m.



HELP WANTED

Currier Pontiac, Oldsmobile, Cadillac, GMC in Gorham, NH is in need of a sales representative in their sales department.

This growing company is looking for a hard working individual. Base pay, commission, health insurance, demo, vacations, schooling, and possible advancement are available to the right person.



Apply in person
Ask for Mark

Rt. 16 • AUTO ROW • GORHAM, NH

For Sale General

BAGGED SHAVINGS FOR SALE P.H. Chadbourne & Co. Ric. 26, Bethel, has a surplus of pre-bagged (3 cu. ft.) shavings for sale. No limit. \$2.50/bag until supply is gone. Cash and carry. 37cf
FIREWOOD CUT, split & delivered. Call 836-2791. 35cf
SUNQUEST WOLFF TANNING BEDS. home units from \$199. Lamps - Lotions - Accessories. Monthly payments as low as \$18.00. Call today. Free new color catalog. 1-800-462-9197. 52ne
CORDATA Laser Printer, used, runs but will eventually need new fuser bar, asking \$200. call for more info. 824-2486. 49-52
VOLK P10 SL 200 cm with Tyrolia RFF bindings. Skied once \$395. (207) 824-3813. 52p
1-1969 SKIDOO in good condition. Electric start-new battery, good track, just been overhauled. 1-3 man pop-up fish house, new. Price for both \$800. Will swap for good used golf cart, gas powered. (207) 583-403. 52p
SEASON CLOSING SALE at Nice Things People Make. Everything in shop is on SALE up to 50% OFF. Starts Monday, Dec. 27th 'til Friday, Dec. 31st. 52

For Sale Vehicles

1987 FORD F250 4x4 work truck. Good condition, low mileage with plow \$8,000. 508-432-9031. 52-2

Wanted

WANTED TO BUY: Scrap metal. Home evenings and weekends. Raymond Chapman, 836-2585. 39cf
WANTED: Items from your attic. 1940's or earlier. Now taking consignments. Excellent terms. Call Sally, Upson Playhouse Antiques, Bethel. (207) 824-3170. 15cf
GROWERS NEEDED. Bethel Farmer's Market is growing and needs more growers - 52

SPREADSHEET

The Small Business Accounting Specialists

Free Initial Consultation

John Bayerlein
Mason Street • P.O. Box 699
Bethel, ME 04217
(207) 824-7658

big or small. Annual meeting at Telstar 104, January 5, 1994, 3-5 or call 836-3217 for info. 51-52
UPRIGHT PIANO in good condition for students and budding maestros. Jeff & Patie Parsons 836-2002. 51-52

Business Opportunities

FOR MORE INFORMATION AND ASSISTANCE regarding the rules of financing, business opportunities and work at home opportunities. The Bethel Citizen urges its readers to contact the Better Business Bureau, Inc., Maine Division, 812 Stevens Avenue, Portland, ME 04103-2648. 6cf
SAVE UP TO 90% on your heating bills with a Taylor outside wood fired Water-

COMPUTING

- Getting Started
- Small business programs
- Training

Red House
Management Svc
824-2094

TOWN OF GREENWOOD

Attention, Greenwood and Woodstock Residents

RECYCLE YOUR CHRISTMAS TREE

Christmas trees will be accepted at G&W Transfer Station. Trees will be chipped into mulch. Ask attendant for assistance.

Woodstock residents only - you may leave the tree at the designated spot at the municipal complex.

G&W Solid Waste Committee

ATTENTION GREENWOOD TREE GROWTH LAND OWNERS

Due to the new State Tree Growth Laws all owners of tree growth property, less than 100 acres classified for personal use will need to notify the Town Office with regards to classification, management or withdrawal plans. To remain in tree growth under personal use a management plan signed by a registered forester must be submitted to the Town Office on or before April 1, 1994.

Greenwood
Town Selectmen

stove. Dealerships available in your area. For information call 1-800-325-1055. 52ne

Services

SIGNS & LETTERING. Katlin Signs. Call after 5 pm. 836-3410. 35cf
RINSEVAC carpet cleaner, rug shampooers, sewer snakes, sump pumps, space heaters, at Brooks Bros., Inc., Main St., Bethel, 824-2158. 13cf
BENNETT'S UPHOLSTERY - Home and office furniture, antique and modern. Call for free estimates, quality workmanship at very reasonable prices. 824-2336. 15cf
RECYCLING-Old lawn mowers, engines, chain saws, lawn tractors, shredders, water pumps, trimmers. Bailey's Outdoor Power. 824-2403. 11cf
NEED RUGS SHAMPOOED & Upholstery cleaned; floors stripped, sealed & waxed etc. Call Sal's Cleaning Service 824-2955 - 25 years in the business. 27cf
ADULT EDUCATION: Academic Brush-up, GED, Career Guidance, Day & Evening. Get started on new direction NOW. Call 824-2780. SAD 44 Adult & community Education. 19cf
PHOTOGRAPHY, natural portraits of your family, children, home, farm. Black & white, sepia and hand oil coloring. Call for price list. Gail Giamusso 836-2044. 38cf

Pets

DISSATISFIED WITH LIQUID & PASTE WORMERS? Happy Jack Trivermicide is effective against hook, round & tapeworms in dogs & cats. Available OTC at hardware stores. 51ne

Publishers Notice

All real estate advertised in this newspaper is subject to the Federal Fair Housing Act of 1968 which makes it illegal to advertise "any preference, limitation, or discrimination based on race, color, religion, sex, or national origin, or an intention to make any such preference, limitation, or discrimination."

This newspaper will not knowingly accept any advertisement for real estate which is in violation of the law. Our readers are informed that all dwellings advertised in this newspaper are available on an equal opportunity basis.

PUBLIC NOTICE

G & R Accounting Firm

is no longer in business
effective
December 1st, 1993

Town of Bethel PUBLIC NOTICE

The Bethel Transfer Station will be CLOSED on December 25, 1993 and January 1, 1994. The transfer station will be open on Sunday December 26 and Monday, December 27, 1993. Sunday, January 2 and Monday, January 3, 1994

PUBLIC HEARING

The Bethel Board of Selectmen will be in session on Monday, January 3, 1994, 7:00 PM in the meeting room of the Bethel Town Office to hear comments on an application from Gloria J. Lewis d/b/a The Only Place Restaurant for an Entertainment Permit. Comments may be made in writing prior to the hearing date.

Merton T. Brown Jr.
Town Clerk

Bethel Auto Sales HONEST, DEPENDABLE Sales & Service

4-Wheel Drive Vehicles

1990 FORD AEROSTAR Ext. Van, 6 cyl, auto, air, 8 passenger.....\$9,550
1989 JEEP COMANCHE 6 cyl, auto, stereo cassette pioneer package, 81,000 miles.....\$6,195
1989 SUBARU DL WAGON 5 sp, 4 wheel drive, rear defrost & wiper, rare find 79,000 miles.....\$4,995
1989 CHEVY ASTRO 6 cyl, auto, 59,000 miles.....\$6,195
1988 JEEP COMANCHE 6 cyl, 5 sp, pioneer package, bed liner, sliding rear window.....\$5,995
1988 PLYMOUTH COLT VISTA 4 cyl, 5 sp, air, stereo, power locks & power windows, third seat 85,000 miles.....\$3,600
1988 DODGE DAKOTA 6 cyl, auto, air, bed liner.....\$4,895
1985 CHEVY BLAZER S-10 6 cyl, 4 sp, only 53,000 miles.....\$5,995
1985 GMC 1 TON, 8 cyl, auto, X-CMP vehicle, only 50,000 mi.....\$3,895

Great Selection of Pre-Owned Vehicles

1993 TOYOTA COROLLA DX 4 cyl, auto, air, stereo-cassette, remainder of factory warranty, 60,000 miles, driven only 5,000 miles.....\$12,395
1990 FORD ESCORT 4 cyl, 2 dr, 5 sp, 44,000 miles.....\$3,695
1990 GEO PRIZM 4 cyl, auto, 5 dr, high miles but runs great.....\$4,395
1990 FORD ESCORT LX, 4 cyl, 2 dr, auto, air, only 37,000 miles.....\$4,895
1990 CHEVY CORSICA 4 cyl, auto, air, 4 dr, 61,000 miles.....\$4,895
1989 PLYMOUTH VOYAGER 6 cyl, auto, air, extended van, high mileage costs \$30,000 new.....\$4,995
1989 CHEVY CAVALIER 4 cyl, auto, air, 80,000 miles.....\$3,395
1988 NISSAN SENTRA 4 cyl, 2 dr, 4 sp, stereo cassette.....\$3,600
1986 FORD TAURUS GL 4 cyl, 4 dr, auto, stereo, power seat, 64,000 miles.....\$3,195
1986 NISSAN PULSAR NX 2 dr, 4 cyl, 5 sp, 65,000 miles.....\$3,895
1985 HONDA ACCORD 4 cyl, auto, 4 dr, air, 79,000 miles.....\$3,895
1987 NISSAN GXE 4 dr, auto, stereo, tilt wheel, 87,000 miles.....\$3,495
1985 Cadillac Deville auto, 8 cyl, 4 dr, air, Continental spare tire kit, stereo, cassette, loaded, 80,000 miles.....\$4,695
1977 GMC 4x4 V8, auto, with Fisher power angle 7 1/2 plow, goes A-1, needs body work, As Is.....\$1,650

BETHEL AUTO SALES Call 824-2389

Ask for Brad or Judy Barker

Evans Notch Ranger District
White Mountain National Forest
Boane Purchase
Coos County, New Hampshire

The White Mountain National Forest is proposing to harvest timber in the vicinity of Wild River. A total of approximately 360 acres would be treated. All of these acres would be managed using uneven-aged harvest methods single-tree and group selection. There would be three short spur roads totalling less than 800 feet in length located adjacent to the Wild River Road (FR 12).

We are accepting comments on this proposal until January 21, 1994. To obtain more information please contact Wayne Millen, Evans Notch Ranger District, RR #2, Box 2270, Bethel, Maine 04217 or call (207) 824-2134.

Mahoosuc Realty, Inc.

Corner of Main & Vernon Streets
PO Box 508 • Bethel, Maine 04217

HAPPY HOLIDAYS! Please stop by or call to take a look at all of our listings.



COMMERCIAL POTENTIAL- BETHEL... Very attractive early 1800's Federal. New kitchen, 2 new baths, 4 bdrms. with plenty of room for expansion. Two attached schoolhouses and a large barn. Located on Route 2 just outside Bethel with many possibilities including B&B, restaurant, country store... \$144,500.



SHOREFRONTAGE-LAKE CHRISTOPHER... 6.7 acres on Lake Christopher in Bryant Pond. End of road location, privacy, boathouse, and views make this a special place. \$125,000



BETHEL OPERA HOUSE... On the Common in the Classic Village of Bethel. A loft bedroom unit next door to the Inn and all town amenities. Excellent rental records. Fully furnished - ready to go. Unit #21. \$47,500



PINE STREET, ANDOVER... NEW LISTING
Lovely 4 bdrm. home located on a quiet Village street in picturesque Andover. Attached shed & barn. Separate garage. New wiring, plumbing, sill work. A great family home or vacation retreat. \$125,000.

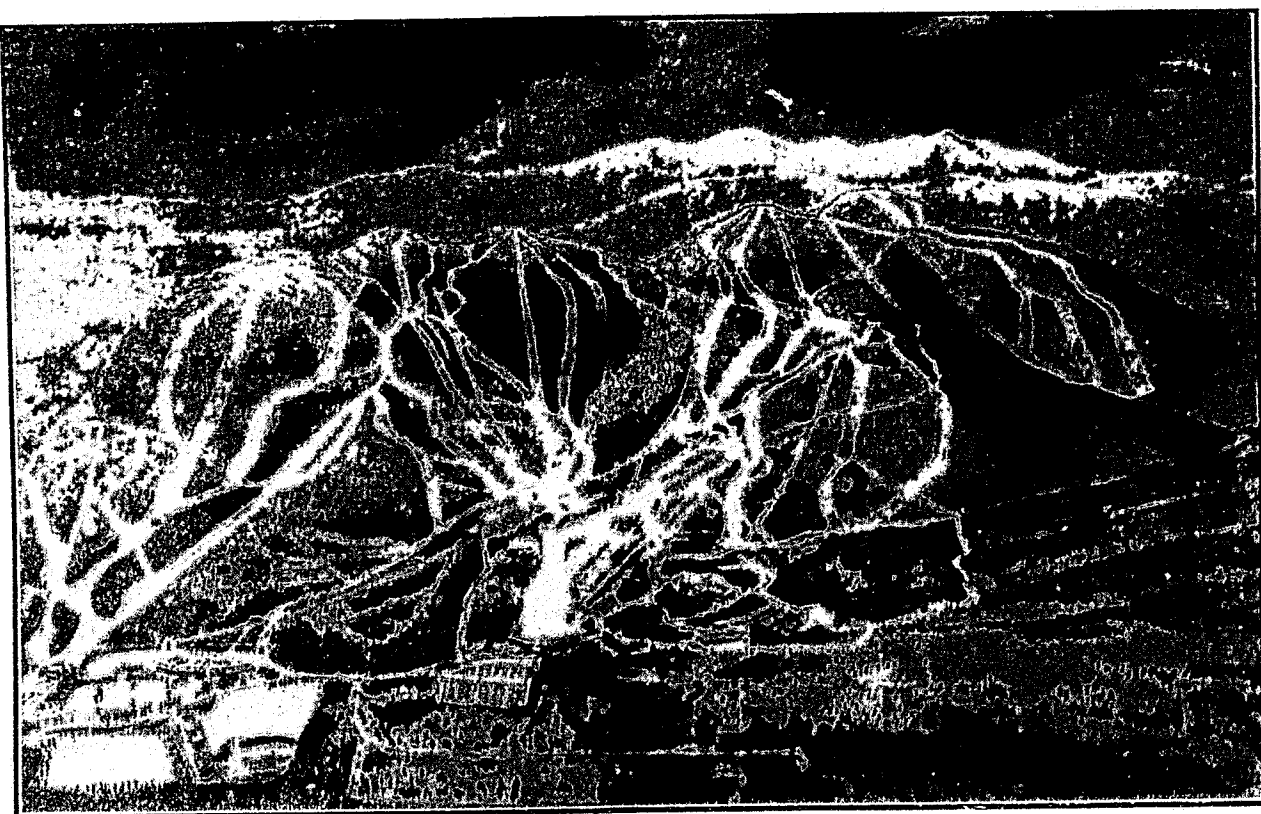


NEW HOME- BETHEL... Attractive and new Saltbox in coveted Bailey Road neighborhood. Area boasts new homes- large trees and easy access to town or the mountain. The home has a strong rental history - as well as care and concern by the owners. \$129,000



CRESCENT STREET- BETHEL... NEW LISTING
Three to five bdrm. expandable ranch located close to Crescent Park School. In-ground pool for summer fun! Priced to sell. \$69,900

Tel: 207-824-2771 • Fax: 207-824-2061



Discover the real meaning of slope side convenience. Let Sunday River Realty show you the largest variety of ski-in ski-out condominiums. From studios to three bedroom townhouses, Sunday River condominiums come fully equipped.

In the winter, ski out your door and enjoy six interconnected mountain peaks. With over 2000 feet of vertical and miles upon miles of trails, you can ski for days without repeating a run. After a day on the slopes, enjoy a dip in the pool, sauna or apres' ski with entertainment. Several fine restaurants are within walking distance of your condominium.

Long known as the East's #1 ranked winter resort, Sunday River now explodes into a whole range of summer activities. From your doorstep experience one of New England's finest lift-served mountain bike parks. Enjoy incredible climbing and hiking, float down a gentle river, discover covered bridges and swimming holes. There's championship golf nearby, tennis courts or just lay back and relax.

Let Sunday River Realty show you how you can join the more than 600 families at Sunday River and enjoy one of New England's premier resorts year round. With prices starting as low as \$45,000, why not start the new year with the convenience of a slopeside condominium at Sunday River.

P.O. Box 450 Bethel, ME (207) 824-3000

For

SKI HOUSE ON
bedrooms, fireplace
Sunday River. Ice sk
weekend. 824-3191.
SMALL TWO-bedr
rent, West Bethel. No
FURNISHED LOG
person or couple. To
River. Quiet location
COUNTRY HOME,
15 minutes from Sun
options negotiable
groups preferred. Re
2345 evenings.
TWO BEDROOM
Maine. References R

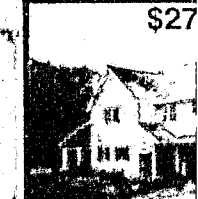
WEEKEND OR B
house - sleeps ten.
River. 824-2028 or 8
SUNDAY RIVER 2
\$100 night/weekend
midweek. No seas
3570
THREE BEDROOM
Bethel Off or wood
woodstove \$550 mo
ties and deposit. Cal

Super Attention

Great Mi
Spec
In Sunday-Out
Any 3 mid-wee
Other packe
townhomes, h
near and far
Let Bethel's
property rental
get the deta
Creative Mana
115 Main
corner of
(207)

Real

SOUTH RIDGE 2
fireplace, dishwa
mountain views, q
River Ridge Run
REDUCED TO \$
207-284-6484
1 - ACRE LOTS
Sunday River. Val
mountain views. Su
possible. 824-2115
3-4 BEDROOM
Bethel. New seven
owner will finance.
SUNDAY RIVER
house overlooking
access. \$175,000.
207-836-2002.
FOR SALE BY C
with barn. Rumfo



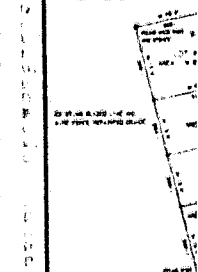
BEAUTIFUL 1 1/2
acres with breathtak
15 minutes from Sun
interiors include ca
with fireplace, cust
master bedroom g
tional bedrooms &
views over 2700 sq
able day-light base
additional 1500
Call Janice Reed f
Century
21.
SWIFT RIVER REALTY
each office independ

Sunday R



For Sale by C
tom built exen
3000+- sq. ft
w/pantry & i
rooms w/jacu
ceramic tile fl
ished baseme
sized 2 car ga
lodges. Must s
207-824-

FOR Beautiful



A four lot st
Rumford,
lighted s
Mountain
minutes fr
Lots 3.2 -
well built p
hardwood
much enha
condition
Mike Kers
for specific
364-3706
Prices: \$

Classifieds ~ Call 824-2444

For Rent

SKI HOUSE ON SONGO POND, three bedrooms, fireplace, 15 minutes from Sunday River, ice skating, \$800/week. \$400 weekend. 824-3191. 50f

SMALL TWO-BEDROOM HOUSE trailer for rent, West Bethel. No Dogs. 836-3945. 13f

FURNISHED LOG HOME, suitable for 1 person or couple. Ten minutes from Sunday River. Quiet location, call 364-7520. 34f

COUNTRY HOME, 6 bedrooms, furnished. 15 minutes from Sunday River. Rental/lease options negotiable for 1993-94 season, groups preferred. References. Call 207-364-2345 evenings. 43f

TWO BEDROOM TRAILER in Hanover, Maine. References Required. 369-0603. 46f

WEEKEND OR BY THE WEEK Large house - sleeps ten. 10 minutes from Sunday River. 824-2028 or 824-4613 50f

SUNDAY RIVER 2 bedroom trailer unit. \$100 night/weekends/holidays. \$50 night midweek. No seasonal. 967-4236 or 824-3570 49-8p

THREE BEDROOM HOUSE for rent. West Bethel Oil or wood heat, two fireplaces plus woodstove \$550 month for family plus utilities and deposit. Call evenings 784-2704 51-52p

Mt. Abram, 15 miles from Sunday River. Great for B&B. \$83,000, Firm. Evenings 824-3470. 9f

LAKE CHRISTOPHER lake front penthouse condo. Fifty feet from waters edge. Four season usage. Western exposure. Two bedrooms, 2 bath fully furnished. Lovely scenic deck. 20 minutes to Sunday River. 5 minutes to Mt. Abram. By owner \$98,000. Call 207-797-2336. 43-52

MOUNT ABRAM SKI CONDO base of family mountain. One bedroom. Low fees. Extras. Minutes to Sunday River. \$52,900. (617) 438-2377. 48-52p

\$6,000 OFF. OUR LIST \$29,195. NOW \$23,195. New Champion 80' 3 bedroom 2 bath to see to it Luv it. 786-4016, daily 9-5, closed Tuesday, Sunday 12-5. Luv Homes (1 mile from turnpike) 1049 Washington Street, Rt 202 Auburn, ME 49-52

\$15,995. Brand new 1994 model, 70' 3 bedroom or \$1,599 down \$150 for 172 months built so well they have factory 1 year/5 year warranty. 2 bedroom \$13,995. 786-4016, Daily 9-5, closed Tuesday, Sunday 12-5. Luv Homes (1 mile from turnpike) 1049 Washington St. Auburn, ME 49-52

1993 CHAMPION DOUBLE WIDE \$7,000 off list \$36,995, now \$29,995, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, 4x428 finished sheet rock, skylights, solid oak cabinets, super insulated. 786-4016. Luv Homes open daily 9-5, closed Tuesday, Sunday 12-5, 1049 Washington Street, Auburn (1 mile from turnpike) 49-52

\$150 for 172 months \$1,599 down OR \$15,995, "1994", 70' 3 Br. 2 BR \$14,395. APK 40%. Built so well they have factory 1/5 year warranty. (207) 786-4016, Daily 10-6, Sunday 10-5. Luv Homes (1 mile from turnpike) 1049 Washington St. Rt. 202, Auburn, ME 51-52

SUNDAY RIVER FIVE PLUS ACRE lots. Town maintained road, Barker Mountain Village, soil tested, owner financing possible. \$39,900 and up. Bryce Yates 207-824-2420. 52-21

WIN COLORADO'S OAK CREEK MOTEL and Mobile Home Park! Just write a short essay or letter - you can win! Entry deadline soon. 303-870-7572 or send S.A.S.E. to Essay Competition, Inc., Box 68-C, Oak Creek, CO 80467. 52ne

information, call 824-2913. 24f

Bethel Freedom Group AA, which meets at Bethel Fire Station. Sunday 6-7:30, CBB; Monday 10-11 am. C 12x12; Tuesday 7-8:30 CWD; Wednesday 10-11 O-Literature; Friday 7:30-9C 12x12. 25f

AL-ANON, Wednesday, 8 pm Telstar Regional High School. 28f

AA MEETS Wednesday, 8 pm, at Telstar Regional High School. 2f

Reach all of New England with one classified ad order placed with this newspaper through the New England Classified Ad Network. Ask for details at the Citizen Office, 824-2444. 01ne

BAHAMA CRUISE! 5 Days/4 nights, underbooked! Must Sell \$279/Couple. Limited tickets. (407) 767-8100 ext 4526 Mon-Sat 9 AM - 10 PM 49-52p

R.V. SHOW JANUARY 14-16. First ever at Rhode Island's fantastic new convention center. Best buys in New England!! Convenient location HI 95 Exit 22, Downtown Providence. \$1.00 off General Admission with ad. 1-800-332-3976 ext. 3. Don't miss it!! 52ne

CLASSIFIED ADS

Twenty-five words or less, one week, \$2.75; additional weeks without change, \$2.20. More than 25 words, 20 cents per word the first week; additional weeks, 16 cents per word.

Advertisements in care of The Citizen, \$2.00 per insertion additional. Display advertising in classified columns, \$5.00 per inch. Advertisers utilizing space in classified display regularly (minimum of four weeks in succession) are entitled to a rate of \$4.00 per inch.

Cards of Thanks or in Memorial, \$4.50 and up. Resolutions of Respect, \$5.75. Tel. (207) 824-2444.

HARVEY'S TRADING POST

Antiques & Collectibles
New and Used

Rt. 26, South of Bethel, Me.
Open 9 am - 5 pm
Tel. 824-2576

WATERFORD ACRES APARTMENTS 1 & 2 BEDROOMS

Applications are now being taken for Elderly, Handicapped or Disabled persons. HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE, MAJOR APPLIANCES AND PROPANE HEAT. Adjusted income limits - One person \$13,350, Two persons \$15,250.

Rental Assistance 30% of income. For application or additional information contact: Joyce Bennett at 2 Madison Ave., Oxford, Maine 04270 or call 743-7961 E.O.H.

Miscellaneous

GED (High School Equivalency) TESTING AND PREPARATION. Day and evening times. No charge. Call SAD #44 Adult Ed. 824-2780 for an appointment. 34f

SUPPORT GROUP for families and friends of the mentally ill. Meets first and third Tuesdays of the month, 6:30 pm at St. Athanasius/St. John Parish Center, Rumford. For further information call 1-800-464-5767. 23f

OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS. Bethel Area Health Center, Saturday 9:30 - 10:30 a.m. For information call 824-6683 or 824-2945. 37f

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly). Wednesdays, 7 pm, Bethel Fire Station. 11f

S.I.I.A.R.E., a support group for parents who have suffered an infant loss, stillborn birth or miscarriage. Stephens Memorial Hospital, first Thursday of each month, 7 pm. For



Rentals

You've Seen Our Signs...
Of course we have wonderful rental offerings just waiting for your next vacation getaway!
Contact the obvious choice for superior service and quality, aesthetically pleasing selections!
Call today for reservation information or to be rushed a copy of our new 24 page rental brochure!
New Rental Listings Invited!



(207) 824-3090

Real Estate

SOUTH RIDGE 2 bedroom townhouse with fireplace, dishwasher. Fully furnished, mountain views, quiet location on Paradise River Ridge Run Trail. WAS \$119,000 REDUCED TO \$109,000. Call owner at 207-284-6184. 1f

1 + ACRE LOTS at Nordic Knoll, Upper Sunday River Valley. Southern exposure, mountain views. Soil tested, owner financing possible. 824-2115, from \$28,500. 15f

3-6 BEDROOM FARMHOUSE in West Bethel. New sewer system, down payment, owner will finance. Call 207-836-3945 17f

SUNDAY RIVER ROAD, new 4 bedroom house overlooking ski area. Oil heat, easy access. \$175,000, possible owner financing. 207-836-2002. 09f

FOR SALE BY OWNER: Large Victorian with barn. Rumford Corner, 9 miles from



\$279,900

BEAUTIFUL 1 1/2 YEAR OLD HOME on 2 1/2 acres with breathtaking views on Paradise Hill 15 minutes from Sunday River Skiway. Tasteful interiors include cathedral ceiling, living room with fireplace, custom kitchen & family area, master bedroom suite with jacuzzi plus 2 additional bedrooms & baths. All rooms with great views over 2700 sq ft of living space. Expandable daylight basement has potential of an additional 1500 sq ft. 2 car garage. Call Janice Reed for more details.

Century 21 1000 Prospect Avenue & Route 2
Rumford, Maine 04276
SWIFT RIVER REALTY (207) 364-4533
each office independently owned and operated

Sunday River Skiway

For Sale by Owner: 5 yr. old custom built executive quality home. 3000+/- sq. ft. includes lg. kitchen w/pantry & island bar, 2 1/2 bathrooms w/jacuzzi tubs, hardwood & ceramic tile flooring; walk-out finished basement w/wet bar; oversized 2 car garage. Walk to lifts & lodges. Must see to appreciate. 207-824-3455 Evenings

FOR SALE Beautiful Scenic Land

A four lot subdivision located in Rumford, 2 miles from the lighted slopes of Black Mountain and about thirty minutes from Sunday River. Lots 3.2 - 4 acres each on a well built private way. Thinned hardwood lots with views are much enhanced by protective conditions of sale. Contact Mike Kersey at Island Realty for specifics of sale. Tel: 207-364-3706. Today's Special Prices: \$16,500 - \$17,500.

Walker's Repair

Now a State Inspection Station
We do light and heavy duty repairs on cars, trucks, and equipment.
• Lube, Oil & Filters
• Tune-Ups • Exhaust
• Brakes • Tires in Stock
• Spin Balance
• COME SEE US!
• Frank Walker & Francis "Sam" Westleigh at Walker's Repair
Rt. 26, S. Bethel • 824-3234

ServiceMASTER

We'll Do It!

Call the ServiceMASTER Team

- Fire Damage
- Smoke Damage
- Water Damage



Look For The Yellow Vans

ServiceMaster of The Lakes Region • Bethel/Auburn
539-4452 • 783-6310 • 1-800-824-7630

Happy New Year from

Maine Street Realty

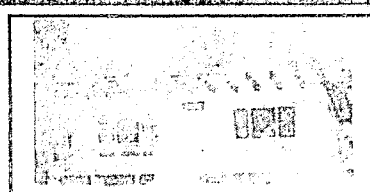
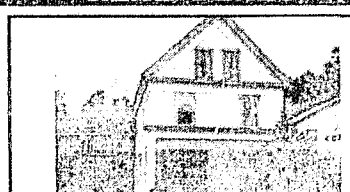
Unequaled Values Available to those who insist on the BEST

CONDOS AND TOWNHOUSES



Studio, 1, 2, 3 Bedroom Units
Intown or Country Views • \$30,000 - \$115,000

REAL DEALS



#386 Intown Bethel. 4 unit apartment building. \$135,000

#378 Route 26 duplex with commercial potential. \$58,500

#367 Viking Village Chalet. \$125,000

COUNTRY HOMES

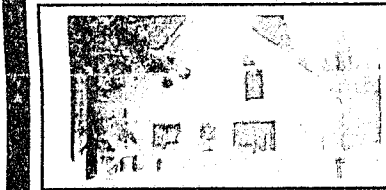


#387 Newly built log home on 6 +/- wooded acres. \$145,000

#366 Bird Hill Lodge. 5 bedrooms, 4 baths. 15 +/- acres. \$170,000

#380 Classic Gentlemen's Farm includes pond and southern slope. \$129,000

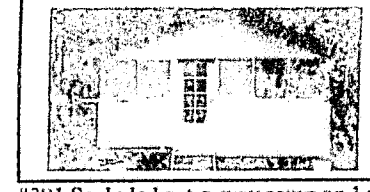
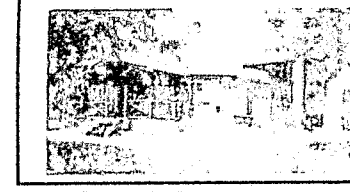
COZY RETREATS



#390 Distinctive post & beam home overlooks Lake Christopher. \$139,000

#382 Enchanting 5 room home. Newly renovated. \$89,000

#313 Bear River Valley all inclusive A-Frame on 1.5 +/- acres. \$75,000



#392 5 +/- acres of privacy. Just a walk to Ellis Pond. \$55,000

#363 Cozy 2 bedroom cottage on year round road. \$54,000

#391 Secluded get-a-way camp on 1 +/- acre. \$18,000

For further information or Additional Properties, stop by our Main Street Bethel Office or Call
MAINE STREET REALTY
(207) 824-2114

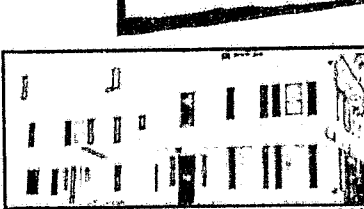
(207) 824-3187
(207) 824-3444 Fax

Kennett Realty, Inc.

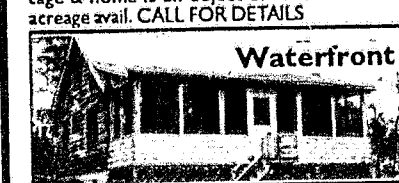
45 Broad Street
PO Box 269
Bethel, Maine 04207
JUST BEYOND THE BETHEL INN



ELEGANCE! Stylish 4 bdrm contemporary overflows with spectacular details within the airy open living area. Marvel at the wonderful mountain river & twinkling Bethel Village views. Prominent architects winning talent is showcased within the 5 +/- acre scenic wooded haven. Absolutely adorable fairytale guest cottage & home is an object of adoration. Add acreage avail. CALL FOR DETAILS



Stately dwelling located in the coveted Historical District of Bethel. Beautiful hardwood floors, large attached barn. Elaborate exterior trim boasts fluted columns on all porches, exquisite sculpted main entrance and elegant window trim. Superior B&B potential. JUST REDUCED TO \$195,000



Waterfront
Panoramic vista combining a glorious stretch of North Pond with a captivating view of Mt. Abram abounds from this 3 bdrm log home. 2 +/- acres, covered southern exposure, new dock & bordered by a natural marshland. Exquisite! \$175,000



The perfect vacation/primary residence is an eye catching beautiful home situated on a scenic 5.7 +/- acre lot in coveted subdivision. Delightful floor plan sports a great room with fireplace, 3 bdrms & 2 baths. \$139,500.



Winning 4 bdrm home offers abundant features for the ultimate in comfortable living. Secluded setting with only a mile to the center of Bethel Village, enjoy the newly renovated kitchen, 2 car garage and beautiful landscaping for \$97,000



Succumb to a peaceful lifestyle among a beautiful mountainous setting. Fetching farmhouse boasts 2 bdrms., country charm and is situated on 114 +/- acres with large barn. Affordably priced at \$89,500



Welcome to your own personal paradise! Abundant fruit trees and cultivated berry bushes surround this lovely 3 bdrm ranch style home. Situated on 7 +/- "Heavenly Acres" this property also boasts its own pond and inground pool. \$96,000



Charming 3 1/4 bdrm. home on the outskirts of Bethel Village awaits your personal touch. Convenient location and remarkably priced, a truly great start for the first time home purchaser. Only \$45,000.

CONGRATULATIONS

Mr. & Mrs. Prime
Best wishes for many years of happiness in Powder Ridge

Land - Land - Land

RT. 2, BETHEL: Prime commercial parcel consists of 10 +/- acres and is located on highly travelled Rt. 2 between Sunday River Skiway and Bethel Village. Year round exposure! \$150,000.

PLEASANT VALLEY SUBDIVISION: Become a part of this peaceful, well-established community. Naturally beautiful surroundings will enhance the home of your dreams. Close proximity to town conveniences and area ski resorts. \$18,000/lot

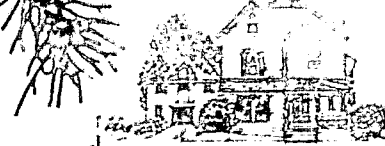
MIDDLE INTERVAL: Outstanding 4.1 +/- acre parcel enjoys privacy and seclusion all on a town maintained road. Fantastic vista views & swimming hole will be yours to enjoy! \$45,000

SONGO POND ROAD: A little piece of heaven! 2+ acre lot on year round town maintained road boasts proximity to town & ski areas. Pretty views and priced to sell! \$29,900

SWAN HILL: Parake of the fabulous views offered from this wonderful 5.5 +/- acre lot located on Swan Hill. Proximity to town and area recreations. Very reasonably priced! \$12,500

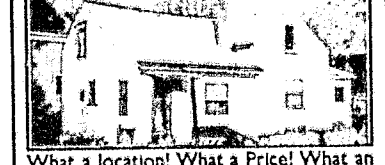
MIDDLE INTERVAL: Admire beautiful views of the Androscoggin River from this lovely 3.6 +/- acre lot with frontage on two year round maintained roads. All at an unbeatable price! \$20,000

SUNDAY RIVER ROAD: Captivating lots offer frontage on the serenely beautiful Sunday River and are just around the corner from the hottest ski resort in the east! 4 +/- acre lots \$42,000, 8 +/- lot \$48,000



Best Wishes for a Joyous New Year!

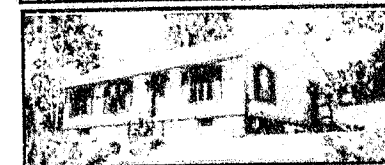
NEW LISTINGS



What a location! What a Price! What an Opportunity! Cozy 2 bdrm home offers 1 1/4 +/- acres with frontage on Route 2, enroute to Sunday River Ski Resort. A perfect spot for your primary, vacation or commercial aspirations! \$79,500



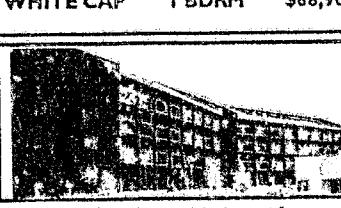
Partake in peaceful surroundings of this lovely 3 bdrm, 2 bath modular home. You can enjoy this spacious, sunny charmer with cathedral ceilings & proximity to serene Songo Pond for only \$69,000



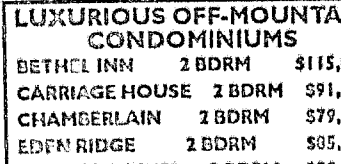
Feast your eyes upon lovely meadow views offered from this entrancing 3 bdrm. ranch situated on 1 1/4 +/- acre lot on a quiet country road. Moments to the Village and Sunday River Skiway. REDUCED TO \$96,400

EXCLUSIVE SUNDAY RIVER CONDOMINIUMS

BROOKSIDE	1 BDRM	\$59,900
CASCADES	STUDIO	\$48,000
FALL LINE	1 BDRM	\$56,500
NORTH PEAK	2 BDRM	\$76,900
SOUTH RIDGE	2 1/2 BDRM	\$148,000
SUNRISE	1 BDRM	\$35,000
WHITE CAP	1 BDRM	\$68,900



BROOKSIDE: Beautiful slopeside complex offers studio, 1 & 2 bdrm. units with ski-in/ski-out access, outdoor heated pool, saunas & private decks. Indulge yourself! Priced from \$15,500



LUXURIOUS OFF-MOUNTAIN CONDOMINIUMS

BETHEL INN	2 BDRM	\$115,000
CARRIAGE HOUSE	2 BDRM	\$91,900
CHAMBERLAIN	2 BDRM	\$79,000
EDEN RIDGE	2 BDRM	\$85,000
PLEASANT RIVER	2 BDRM	\$38,900
POWDER RIDGE	2 BDRM	\$159,000
RIVER BEND	2 BDRM	\$84,500
RIVER VIEW	2 BDRM	\$45,000

*Most units are fully furnished

Please inquire about our MASTER LIST:
RESIDENTIAL/VACATION
SUNDAY RIVER SKIWAY CONDOS
COMMERCIAL
WATERFRONTS
AREA CONDOS
LAND



Obituaries

EVANGELINE M. CARLISLE

Evangeline M. Carlisle, 86, of Patch Mountain Road, Greenwood, died Friday, Dec. 24, 1993, at Ledgeview Nursing Home in West Paris.

She was born Dec. 2, 1907, in Chelsea, Mass., the daughter of George and Maude Herbin Robillard. She married James T. Carlisle, Dec. 28, 1927; he died in 1964. Mrs. Carlisle was a dedicated mother, homemaker and poet. She was a past state president of the Dept. of Mass. Marine Corps League Auxiliary, and a member of the Capt. William D. Glyn Unit in Haverhill, Mass., until her death. She devoted nearly 50 years of her life to this organization.

She is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Alton (Martha C. Moses) Proctor Jr., of Greenwood, with whom she made her home for many years; two sons, James T. Carlisle Jr. of Marina, Calif., and Joseph S. Carlisle of Concord, N.H.; a sister, Celeste Low of Windham, N.H.; seven grandchildren, 17 great-grandchildren, and many nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by a brother, Stanley Robillard; five sisters, Louise Robillard, Gertrude Powell, Charlotte Levis, Felice Valcourt and Leah Woodward.

Funeral services will be announced at a later date.

GEORGE A. CROCKETT

George A. Crockett, 88, of Locke Mills, died early Thursday morning, Dec. 23, 1993, at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway after an extended illness.

Mr. Crockett was born in Woodstock, the son of the late Charles W. and Mary L. (Lenord) Crockett, but had been a resident of Locke Mills for over 60 years. He attended Woodstock schools, and had been employed by E.L. Tibbetts, P.H. Chadbourne, and Hanover Dowel, from which he retired in the early 1970s.

Besides his wife of over 63 years, the former Alice Staples, Mr. Crockett is survived by two daughters: Beverly Sanford of Woodstock, and Thelma Simmond of Bethel; one son, Dale Crockett, with whom he made his home; three sisters, Ruth Tibbetts of Peru, Georgia Herrick of Mechanic Falls, and Mrs. George (Helen) Farrar of East Bethel; 12 grandchildren, four great-grandchildren, and a great-great grandchild. He was predeceased by one brother, two sisters, and a granddaughter.

Card of Thanks

Thanks to Ledgeview Nursing Home - all the staff for the kindness and decency shown to the family of George A. Crockett. Wife, Alice Son, Dale Daughter, Beverly & Family Daughter, Thelma & Family

EDGAR RAINEY

Edgar "Arnie" Rainey, 46, of Locke Mills, died unexpectedly Saturday, Dec. 25, 1993, at Stephens Memorial Hospital in Norway.

He was born July 5, 1947 in Norway, the son of Edgar and Marja Koskela Rainey. He was educated in local schools and graduated from Woodstock High School in 1965. He later attended Central Maine Vocational-Technical Institute and studied building trades.

He was a self-employed carpenter and owned and operated Rainey and Sons Carpentry Inc. of Locke Mills. He was a member of Greenwood Fire Department, and a member of West Paris Baptist Church, where he served as a trustee. Mr. Rainey was an avid sportsman and enjoyed fishing and hunting. He served in the U.S. Navy during the Vietnam War. He lived in Locke Mills most of his life and married Susan Linsbeck in 1967.

Mr. Rainey was much loved by his wife of Locke Mills; two sons, Jeffrey A. Rainey of Andover and Michael T. Rainey of Bethel; two brothers, Wade Rainey of West Paris and Marc Rainey of North Paris; one sister, Minerva Farnum of North Paris, his mother of North Paris; and one grandson, Nathan Rainey of Locke Mills. He is predeceased by a brother, Craig Rainey, who died in 1974.

Funeral services were held Dec. 28 at the West Paris Baptist Church. Interment will be at the Cole Cemetery, Greenwood in the spring. For those who wish donations may be made in his memory to the West Paris Baptist Church, P.O. Box 57, West Paris, ME 04289.

THOUGHTS FROM THE Pastor's Study

The Bethel Area Clergy Association, with the help of pastors of surrounding churches, brings you these meditations. Not based on any set theme, they will be individual for each pastor. It is hoped you will find in these words comfort and hope for your daily life.

Once again a New Year is upon us. One of the familiar customs this time of year is to make what are called "New Year's Resolutions." More often, however, we miserably fail in keeping these resolutions which too many times end up being the basis of a joke.

There are a number of things that are commendable, however, about making "New Year's Resolutions." For one thing it is an honest admission of failure. It can further indicate a desire to seek a better way, which history indicates, many times has led to success.

However, for the most part, commendable as the practice may be, the results seem to be dismal failure. How do we explain it?

As in all questions in life the Bible, I believe, has the answer. In the first place, the Bible indicates that man does not have within himself the power or ability to overcome his failures or "shortcomings," especially in the moral or spiritual realm. In the Old Testament, Jeremiah 10:23, we read: "O Lord, I know the way of man is not in himself; it is not in man that walketh to direct his steps." He further asks the question in 13:23, "Can the Ethiopian change his spots? Then may ye also do good, that are accustomed to do evil."

When Christ arose from the dead and went back to heaven He sent the Holy Spirit on the Day of Pentecost. He (the Holy Spirit) to make the "new life" a reality through the New Birth. (see John 3:3) Therefore,



MONEY FOR CHRISTMAS CHARITIES-The Bethel Savings Bank recently made donations to two local Christmas charities. Bank employee Ellie Andrews (left) presented David Murphy of the Bethel Rotary Club a \$100 check for Christmas for Children. Linda Varrell (right) gave Cindy Mills \$50 toward presents for children at the West Bethel Children's Center. The bank also donated \$150 to Nina Wheeler and the Christmas for Families program.

(Photo by Wendy Hanscom)

when we receive Christ as Saviour we receive His Holy Spirit into our hearts and lives, which brings about a miracle called "conversion." Therein one becomes a brand new person as he receives this new life from Him.

So the real answer to the matter is not merely making "resolutions" but rather "revolution," receiving a brand new life altogether. Instead of trying to change ourselves by mere "resolution" as we see our failures,

we need to acknowledge them to God. Then seeking His forgiveness, invite Christ to come into our hearts and give us a new life, which is more than merely turning over a "new leaf." The Bible says, "Therefore if any man be in Christ he is a new creation, old things pass away and all things become new." (II Cor. 5:17)

Rev. Roland M. Lord, Asst. Pastor
Bryant Pond Baptist Church

Answers to Super Crossword

TEXT	STATE	SWORE	PARK
HIRE	IOWAN	CANEA	ISON
ORANGE	YOU	GLADY	YOU
REY	OREL	ALEX	ARENT
CARD	SIZED	XYZ	TEE
ARMADA	SATYR	LEEZA	
PAIR	SURE	AURA	BATH
THE	GRAPE	IMPOSTOR	AGRA
SNOOZED	LATEX	SCREW	
DUNE	CASES	SQUEAK	
COVERT	PACER	PAUSED	
RACINE	JANIS	MAUT	
ABEET	VAPID	ADDRESS	
PLAN	LIMES	OF	SCRTIMMAGE
TENN	OVER	ALOE	BITS
ADDIS	KAZAN	ORELSE	
BRA	RID	MOREY	MUIR
LOMAN	HOWE	CANT	RLS
EMPLOYMENT	APPL	ELEGATION	
NELL	ERATO	OLIVE	BONO
DOES	STREW	TYPES	STEW

Clip 'n Save Clip 'n Save Clip 'n Save

Pine Tree Transit

BUS SCHEDULE (Seasonal Ski Area Routes)

Mexico to Sunday River

DEPARTS

Mexico Shopping Plaza 6:45 AM
Rumford Information Booth Parking Lot 6:55 AM

Sunday River To Bethel

DEPARTS

South Ridge Lodge 7:40 AM
Bethel Inn Townhouses 8:00 AM
8:40 AM
9:40 AM
10:40 AM
2:30 PM
4:00 PM

DEPARTS

Bethel Inn Townhouses 8:00 AM
9:00 AM
10:00 AM
11:00 AM
3:00 PM
4:30 PM

Sunday River to Mexico

DEPARTS

South Ridge Lodge 4:50 PM
Rumford Information Booth Parking Lot 5:35 PM
(Arrives Mexico Shopping Plaza at 5:45 PM)

Dates of Operation

Ski Area Buses will operate only on the following dates:

Dec. 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31 • Jan. 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 22, 23, 29, 30
Feb. 5, 6, 12, 13, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27
Mar. 5, 6, 12, 13, 19, 20

All Pine Tree Transit Buses are open to the public. One-way fare is \$2. Reduced fares for persons age 60+, persons with disabilities and children age 4 or under. For information call 1-800-339-WMTS or 364-2135.

Clip 'n Save Clip 'n Save Clip 'n Save

In Loving Memory of

Virginia Cole

A more gentle person there never could be. And those who know her were lucky indeed... She was kind, hard working and honest her whole life through. She would go without to give to you... The love and welfare of her family came before all else. And the love we shared was deeply felt... She is gone from us now, it was God's will, but the emptiness in our hearts can never be filled! God Bless you and keep you Saddy Missed by Your Husband, Daughters & Grandchildren

Visit Our Florist Shop!

Fresh Flowers for All Occasions

Weddings
Sympathy
Birthday
Anniversaries
Dried/Silk
Arrangements
Balloons • Plants
M&W FARM & GREENHOUSES
Old County Rd, Bryant Pond
674-2183

Quality & Value

Keenan Company Store offers you outstanding prices on Quality Merchandise

hot gear

chuck roast

snuggler

Wyoming Wear

Sports B

HARD CORPS

Kaelin

HH Helly Hansen

and more!

We've got your mittens, boots, gloves, hats.



We've got the hottest skiwear around!

Prices are Hot on Cold Weather Clothing & Accessories!

- ✓ MINI HEATERS
- ✓ TOE HEATERS
- ✓ HAND HEATERS
- ✓ FACE MASKS
- ✓ NECK-UPS
- ✓ SOCKS
- ✓ LONG UNDERWEAR
- ✓ HATS
- ✓ MITTENS & GLOVES
- ✓ GLOVE LINERS
- ✓ GOGGLES
- ✓ FLEECE WEAR
- & TONS OF SUPER WARM CLOTHING!

QUALITY & VALUE

Always 20%- 50% at Savings For the Whole Family

CHECK IN SUN-JOURNAL Sunday

THE BEST WAY TO KNOW WHAT TO WEAR AND HOW TO DRESS FOR THE BEST SKIING WHEN YOU CHECK YOUR BEST DAILY SOURCE FOR THE FIVE-DAY WEATHER FORECAST!

Call one of our convenient offices today for home delivery!

Lewiston 784-3555 • Norway 743-9228
Farmington 778-6772 • Rumford 364-8728

Call Toll Free in Maine 1 800 482-0753

"See you at the Top... of Main Street"

✓ Check Us Out At Mt. Abram Kingfield & Portland Too!

KEENAN COMPANY STORE

Upper Main Street
Bethel, Maine
824-2717
Visa MasterCard

